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AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

THE TACOMA NEWS BUILDING SCORCHED BY FIRE.

A Wealthy Hermit of Pennsylvania Claims to be a Prophet—The Steamer Friesland Overdue from Hamburg—Why Railroaders are Kicking Against Scalpers.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Nov. 15.—A "new prophet" has arisen in the person of Edwin Woodring, of South Whitehall township, in this county. He is 64 years of age and lives alone in a rude shanty in the woods. His clothing is of the coarsest kind, and his food scanty in quantity and mean in quality. He wears a beard and makes himself look in general appearance as much like pictures of the Messiah as he can. He is sometimes seen pacing up and down country roads with a crown of thorns on his head, which he places there in the hallucination that he is following the example of Christ. He is a man of considerable wealth, having inherited an estate from his father.

After Bellamy's Prophecy.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Arrangements have been completed for laying two tubes between Jersey City and Newark for the purpose of carrying mail packages and mail matter between these two and several intermediate points. The tubes will be twenty-four inches in diameter. This will be the first practical step in a big scheme for a long distance pneumatic tubes. In case the service between Jersey City and Newark proves a success it will at once be lengthened as far as Philadelphia on one side and New York on the other.

The Custom Reversed.

TACOMA, Nov. 15.—To-day J. B. Foichet, a well-known grocer on South Pacific avenue, and a man of means, brought action against his wife for divorce on the ground of desertion. The complaint recites that she left him without cause on June 21, 1889, leaving behind her five children, but that before her departure she deeded to her husband all her interest in their joint possessions. He declares that since her departure he has not heard from her, and her present abiding place is unknown.

Margaret Again Changes.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15—It was reported to-day that Margaret Mather had decided to make a change in her management that would necessitate the retirement of A. B. Chase who has had charge of her business for the last two years. A well known New York manager has taken his place and will hereafter superintend the business.

A Fast Atlantic Liner Overdue.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The steamer Friesland, the flagship of the Red Star fleet, is three days overdue. She has on board one hundred and eleven saloon, one hundred and seventeen intermediate and four hundred and fifty steerage passengers, with whom she left Antwerp on Nov. 1st. She usually makes the voyage in eleven days and has done it in ten. Peter Wright & Sons, agent of the line here, say they are not at all alarmed at the Friesland's long voyage. She has doubtless met with stormy weather which nearly all incoming steamships that have taken the northerly course have had. The Friesland is a staunch ship, with all mechanical improvements intended to make a modern steamer unsinkable. She is commanded by Capt. W. Grandel the commodore of the line.

The Railroad Difficulty.

NEW YORK, Nov 15.—The publication of a circular inviting influential representatives of western and southwestern railroads to a conference at the residence of J. Pierrepont-Morgan in this city, has been postponed for a day or two out of deference to some of the managers of railways interested, who think they can effect the necessary agreement and reforms without the intercession of New York bankers. It scarcely need be said that New York capitalists whose investments are at stake, regard that notion with a good deal of skepticism. Geo. C. Morgan, secretary of the board of directors of the Atchison & Santa Fe railway and a member of the firm of Kiddier, Peabody & Co., said to-day that the whole matter of the proposed agreement between the great railroad systems west of Chicago was in statu quo; but that something might be done in a few days. Col. L. McCook, consul for the Atchison road, explained that the delay was due to the expressed wishes of western railroad managers. How long the delay would last he could not say. Little doubt is felt on the part of New York capitalists that Mr. Morgan's circular will soon be issued, and that a meeting of men of capital will be held with a view to making an agreement and sticking to it.

The Scalpers are Kicking.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 15.—Ticket Scalpers, as might naturally be expected, are not pleased with Chairman Finley's attempt to shut them out of business. During an investigation made in Chicago about a year ago, the fact was ascertained that one ticket scalper had made more than $60,000 in one year from the sale of tickets. It was also proved that tickets were furnished to scalpers in large blocks by railroad officials, to be sold at reduced rates, and that for their labor the scalpers were receiving a commission of from $2 to $5 for each ticket. It has been hinted that certain officials have shared the profits with the scalpers, and that this was the reason for their determined opposition to all efforts to do away with their ticket scalping. It is now alleged that the scalpers who are holding a meeting in Chicago to decide on measures against Finley's course are depending on these passengers' agents who have been their silent partners so long to aid in gaining their ends. There does not appear to be any settled feeling among railroad men here that to-morrow's meeting in Chicago will have a satisfactory result, and an open cut is expected.

He Repeated.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 15.—In the criminal court to-day, Frank M. Irving, county clerk and register of the city court was convicted of embezzlement of $10,000 while in office. The jury recommended him to the mercy of the court. An application for his pardon will be gotten up, and all the jurors will sign it. Irving was a great favorite in social circles until three years ago when finding that his shortage was about to be discovered, he left the city with only $115. He went to British America and then to San Francisco, where he took passage on a sailing vessel for London. He reached London penniless and repentant, and going to the office of the consul general he told his story and asked to be sent home. The consul general could not send him, so Irving worked his passage to New York as a common sailor. He came back here saying that he wanted to plead guilty and serve out his sentence. His friends took his case in hand, and through legal technicalities it was postponed from time to time. He has been filling an important clerical position in a railway office here since his release on bond soon after his return.

The "News" Gets Scorched.

TACOMA, Nov. 15.—This morning a smouldering fire, thought to have originated in a pile of straw pasteboard near a steam pipe, on the fourth floor, damaged the plant of the Tacoma News about $4,000, the building, also owned by the News Company, about $2,500, and the Washington book-bindery plant on the fourth floor, probably $4,000. The bulk of the damage was done by water, the building being deluged throughout. The News' plant was insured for $1,800, the building for $1,400, and the book-bindery plant for $5,000. Were it not for the water that drenched everything about the structure, the News would have been gotten out at the usual time to-day, but in order to dry the walls as much as possible, the steam was turned into the pipes, and the editorial and mechanical force moved over to the Ledger office for the day and will return to their old headquarters to-morrow.

An American's Palace.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The World says: Sightseers at the corner of Fifty-seventh street and Fifth avenue stare at the mammoth building slowly assuming shape there. It is the residence of C. P. Huntington. A huge wing on Fifty-seventh street is to be devoted to Prince Hatzfeldt and princess. The prince's arms appear in one or two places in elaborate carving. Nearly all the houses thereabouts will sink into insignificance when Huntington's mansion is pushed a little further skyward. The size is simply stupendous. People on the second floor can almost look on the roofs of the neighboring dwellings, and the building will eventually be one of the landmarks of Fifth avenue. Cornelius Vanderbilt's house will appear like a cozy French villa beside this barbonial castle.

The Victorian.

PORTLAND, Nov. 13.—The new steamer, Victorian, now being built for the Union Pacific Railway Company, for the Victoria-Tacoma route, has been brought up from Steffen's ship yard to the dock of the Williamette iron works, where the machinery is being put in the craft. She will be the finest in the northwest, though but a faint idea of her perfections can be gleaned from looking at her in her present state of completion.

The engine work, which is not only massive but perfect in every detail, will require several weeks to be put in position. The cabin, which extends almost the entire length of the vessel, is to be a veritable palace. The finishings have all been selected, and are of magnificent order. The exterior work is all done, and has been painted white.

BIRCHALL'S BODY BURIED.

The Interest Displayed in England—How His Relations Take it.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Nov. 15.—Birchall's body was buried in the jail yard soon after the verdict was rendered thus terminating the story of his crime and expiation. There is $5,500 held back, which was agreed to be paid by the Toronto Mail for the story of his life. He was to furnish matter to no other newspaper; but an autograph letter in the Sentinel Review the Mail people claim is a violation of the contract, and they refuse to pay the balance. Birchall's friends say the letter was delivered to Geo. Berry and not to the Sentinel Review, and, therefore, it is no violation. It is thought that Mrs. Birchall will remain in Woodstock for some time before starting for England.

ENGLISH INTEREST DISPLAYED.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—News of Birchall's execution was received here and throughout England with the deepest interest. As a rule, executions in Great Britain do not attract attention from the general public; but no crime of recent years has aroused the curiosity and anxiety for details that the Birchall case has excited. Crowds waited anxiously for the news of the hanging, which arrived about three o'clock in the afternoon, and the papers were eagerly bought up. It is said that at Oxford university, where Birchall was a student, some one draped in mourning the door of the apartment which he had occupied, and nothing else has been talked of by the students for several days but Birchall's crime and fate. He had many friends among his old college chums. His mother is rapidly sinking and it is thought that the news of the execution will hurry her tottering footsteps to the grave. Birchall's half-brother Rev. Oswald Birchall denied himself to all callers to-day and yesterday, and is said to have spent all of Thursday night in prayer. Mr. Stevenson, father of Mrs. Birchall, is crushed with anxiety about his daughter, and has again sent word to Mrs. West Jones to return to England immediately with her sister. Mr. Stevenson is well situated as to property, and there is no danger of Mrs. Birchall wanting for anything. The newspapers are unanimous in approving the action of the Canadian authorities in enforcing the law to the letter in Birchall's case.

Stationery at Daley's

AROUND THE CITY.

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP AROUND TOWN.

McLean Wins the Boat Race by a Quarter of a Length—The Victoria Boy Leads Going Up and Gives McLean a Close Rub—Large Crowd of Spectators.

The Jubilee Range is sold only by McLennan & McFeely, 70 Yates street. *

Two carloads of B. C. wool were shipped from Victoria yesterday.

The Comus club will resume their winter's dances next Tuesday evening.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is asserted at 74 Yates street. tf

Over seventy Chinese are to leave for the Flowery Kingdom by the steamer Parthia.

The theatre was sparsely filled at last night's performance of the True as Steel company.

We have just received a lot of Bonaparte potatoes, extra fine size, dry and mealy. R. W. Jameson, 33 Fort st. *

Gum Boots, Rubbers, Arctics, &c. for everybody, at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

Complaints of the inefficiency of the city electric lights are being made by citizens who are out late at night.

The B. C. Tanning Company have commenced work at their tannery and boot and shoe factory in Nanaimo.

The ladies of the St. Andrew's church entertained the Chinamen of their school at the mission room last evening.

Another blast was let off at Beaver rock last evening, which did good work in breaking up that obstruction to navigation.

The steamer City of Kingston will take over 600 cases of salmon to-morrow for shipment in bond over the N. P. R., for Montreal.

Rev. Mr. Lamb Baptist minister of Port Angeles is over soliciting subscriptions from owners of real estate over there for the building of a new chuch.

In order to thoroughly drain their premises the Albion Iron works are constructing a drain from the cellars of the machine shops, under Store street and into the harbor.

The board of aldermen of Vancouver have been asked by Mayor Oppenheimer to consider the scheme of purchasing the electric light and railway works, gas works, and water works.

City Inspector of buildings Northcott has been on a tour of inspection the past day or two looking after the many new houses going up about the city, to see that the by-laws are carried out.

Messrs. Teague and Muir have gone to Nanaimo to collect funds for the needs of Y. M. C. A. works. In Victoria alone Mr. Teague has collected over a thousand dollars by a personal canvass.

The following donations are acknowledge with thanks by the steward of the Jubilee hospital: Reading matter, Mrs. Heywood; jam, books, etc., Mrs. Higgins; flowers and linen, Mrs. Goodacre; illustrated papers, Mr. Bull; raspberry vinegar, Mr. Cameron; sweets and fruits, St. Andrew's church; fruit, a friend.

THE RACE.

A Closely Pulled Contest in Out-rigged Skiffs This Afternoon.

The boat race this afternoon attracted considerable attention. At three o'clock, the hour of starting, the swing bridge was black with people, the fine weather, combined with a Saturday half holiday, called out a big crowd.

The two men got away to a good start shortly after three o'clock, and pulled over the course in good time, McLean winning by about a ¼ of a length. The race was a close one throughout, McKay having a slight lead until within a few yards of the finish.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

For running the mare Laura D. as Laura Daulton in a race here, the mare, her trainer, Ben Payne, and her owner, D. Logsdon, were ruled off the turf by the West Side Park Association, Chicago, under the rule covering the fraudulent entry of a horse.

Caledonia Maid, the property of Dr. Stalker, of Walkerton, Ont., dropped on the 8th inst. a colt foal to Onward King. The youngster is described as a clear bay, no white, very handsome and very smart, and if breeding counts for anything he ought to be a good one as he combines the Wilkes and Belmont stock on the sires side, with the Royal George, through Caledonia Chief and the thoroughbred on the dam's side.

The female bookmaker is the latest departure. She made her first appearance at Kempton Park, clad in a flash costume, and gave or took the odds as nonchalantly as a man shouting in musical tones what her prices were, cashing up promptly when each race was over. The next in order will be, no doubt, the woman horse jockey, and with them in the pool room and on the horse, racing will have more fascination than ever.

A BIG STAKE.

A Cleveland dispatch says:—C. J. Emery, of this city, in connection with Tennessee and Kentucky breeders, has inaugurated the largest stake purse ever offered for trotting horses. It will be a guaranteed stake of $50,000, probably for three-year-olds, foals of 1890, although the time limitation has not been definitely decided upon. The total payments for each horse will not exceed $350, and the entrance fee will be less than three-fourths of 1 per cent. A number of breeders have signified their intention of entering from five to ten horses each, as soon as all settlements are made. The stake will be called the American Trotting Horse Breeders' stake.

DON'T KILL BECAUSE YOU CAN.

The following sensible advice, given by the Canadian Sportsman, would apply to young and ardent sport's in this country.

There is one important lesson that our sportsmen will have to learn before the public will come out and take the stand which we hope to see regarding our game law.

If the game laws are used but for the purpose of preserving the game until a certain season, the last day of which is to be the signal for well equipped and signally destructive men, who claim to be sportsmen, to make use of the permission or rather absence of the restrictions of the law to sally forth and see how much game they can slaughter in the shortest possible time, then indeed is the law a farce and our claim to being sportsmen puerile and hypocritical.

The public becomes disgusted with hearing of the fact, that high toned sportsmen are bagging birds, or killing deer in such quantities as would put to blush the average pot hunter.

The true object and spirit of the law is that the game may be preserved so that it may exist in such quantities as to furnish sport and food in reasonable quantities for the public generally and not for the purpose of permitting men to vie with each other in seeing how much they can slaughter.

The game preserve that is used for such a purpose fails in its object and such control elicits only the contempt of the public and results in a consequent lackness and disregard for law which renders such a state of things possible.

Let no man consider himself a sportsman, who allows his inordinate desire for destruction, to surpass reasonable bounds. Be temperate in all things, and abuse not the privileges permitted by the law.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.
(Before Mr. Justice Walkem.)
November 15.

Kunn Shoong vs. Mason—Application to examine defendant. The order was made. Mr. Aikman for defendant, Mr. Wilson for plaintiff.

Jessop et al vs. DeCosmos—Application for an order to produce agreement. Order made returnable in five days. E. V. Bodwell for plaintiff, Charles Wilson for defendant.

Gray vs. McCallum—Asking for an extension of time to file affidavit. Time extended for ten days. F. G. Walker for plaintiff, E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

Dawson vs. Granville—Application for discovery. Order made. E. V. Bodwell for plaintiff, Charles Wilson for defendant.

Roach vs. Leamy—Application for cross-examination on affidavit. Adjourned till Monday. Charles Wilson for plaintiff, Corbould for defendant.

McDonald vs. McDonald—Application to amend part of plaintiff's amendment to statement of claim. Adjourned till Monday. Yates & Jay for plaintiff, J. P. Walls for defendant.

Griffith vs. Boscowitz—Application to settle case on appeal. Adjourned. D. M. Eberts for plaintiff, E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

THE DIVISIONAL COURT.

Davies vs. McMillan—In this case the judges were divided as to the issue, and the order of the Chief Justice stands as before.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Wm. McNish has returned from San Francisco.

Thornton Fell has returned from San Francisco.

Wm. M. Chudley went over to the Mainland this morning.

Miss Pidwell of San Francisco is in the city visiting friends.

Capt. Wm. Grant will be a passenger for Yokohama by the steamer Parthia.

Forrest Angus and J. Boscowitz returned from the Mainland last evening.

Ex-Mayor James Fell who has been confined to his room for several days past is improving.

Duncan Robinson, an old pioneer of the province is lying seriously ill at his residence on Second street.

W. Christie, assistant manager of the C. P. R. telegraph offices in this city, went across the Sound last evening.

Mr. Earl, who represents San Francisco capital in several mines on the Stickeen, left for San Francisco this morning.

Miss McEvoy, who has been spending the summer with friends in this city will return to San Francisco via Portland on Monday evening.

Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., will be a passenger for Westminster to-morrow morning. He is interested in a case that comes up in that city on Monday.

R. F. Dodd of Victoria who was reported among the injured in the railway casualty a few days since, is a Hudson Bay Co., officer and only came down from Skidegate by the Danube on her last trip.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Large lines of new goods in furniture, carpets, glassware, etc., constantly arriving at John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

You should secure a lot in Fernwood, beautiful residential property. Enquire of the leading estate agents. *

The Deadliest of Serpents.

The cobra destroys less life in the aggregate than the various forms of cholera, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, diarrhœa, dysentry, cramp colic, etc. Mortality in Canada, from these causes is lightened owing to the general use of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which is an unfailing specific for all bowel complaints. *

DR. TALMAGE'S JOURNEY

WONDERFUL ITINERARY OF CHRIST'S WALK TO NAZARETH.

Bethel and the Sea of Galilee—Farewell to the Historic Mountains Around Jerusalem—Awful Tragedies of the Olden Times.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 9.—Today Dr. Talmage preached the seventh of his course of sermons on his recent tour in Palestine. As on previous Sundays the sermon was preached before two large audiences. In the morning it was preached in the Academy of Music, in this city, and at night Dr. Talmage preached it again in the New York Academy of Music which The Christian Herald continues to rent for these services. During the six meetings thus far held in New York 90,000 people have endeavored to hear Dr. Talmage preach. Of these 30,000 have been admitted and 60,000 have been turned away for lack of accommodation. Following is the sermon from the text, "So I lifted up mine eyes the way toward the north" (Ezekiel viii, 5):

At 1 o'clock on a December afternoon through Damascus gate we are passing out of Jerusalem for a journey northward. Hoi for Bethel, with its stairs, the bottom step of which was a stone pillow; and Jacob's well, with its immortal colloquy; and Nazareth, with its divine boy in his father's carpenter shop, and the most glorious lake that ever rippled or flashed—

Blue Galilee, sweet Galilee,
The lake where Jesus loved to be;

and Damascus, with its crooked street called Straight, and a hundred places charged and surcharged with apostolic, evangelistic, prophetic, patriarchal, kingly and Christly reminiscences.

In traveling along the roads of Palestine I am impressed, as I could not otherwise have been, with the fact that Christ for the most part went afoot. We find him occasionally on a boat, and once riding in a triumphal procession, as it is sometimes called, although it seems to me that the hosannas of the crowd could not have made a ride on a stubborn, unimpressive and funny creature like that which pattered with him into Jerusalem very much of a triumph. But we are made to understand that generally he walked. How much that means only those know who have gone over the distance traversed by Christ.

We are accustomed to read that Bethany is two miles from Jerusalem. Well, any man in ordinary health can walk two miles without fatigue. But not more than one man out of a thousand can walk from Bethany to Jerusalem without exhaustion. It is over the Mount of Olives, and you must climb up among the rolling stones and descend where exertion is necessary to keep you from falling prostrate. I, who am accustomed to walk fifteen or twenty miles without lassitude, tried part of this road over the Mount of Olives, and confess I would not want to try it often, such demand does it make upon one's physical energies. Yet Christ walked it twice a day—in the morning from Bethany to Jerusalem, and in the evening from Jerusalem to Bethany.

VIEW FROM MOUNT SCOPUS.

Likewise it seemed a small thing that Christ walked from Jerusalem to Nazareth. But it will take us four days of hard horseback riding, sometimes on a trot and sometimes on a gallop, to do it this week. The way is mountainous in the extreme. To those who went up to the Tip Top house on Mount Washington before the railroad was laid I will say that this journey from Jerusalem to Nazareth is like seven such American journeys. So, all up and down and across and recrossing Palestine, Jesus walked. Ahab rode. David rode. Solomon rode. Herod rode. Antony rode. But Jesus walked. With swollen ankles and sore muscles of the legs, and bruised heel and stiff joints and panting lungs and faint head, along the roads and where there were no roads at all Jesus walked.

We tried to get a new horse other than that on which we had ridden on the journey to the Dead sea, for he had faults which our close acquaintanceship had developed. But after some experimenting with other quadrupeds of that species, and finding that all horses, like their riders, have faults, we concluded to choose a saddle on that beast whose faults we were most prepared to pity or resist. We rode down through the valley and then up on Mount Scopus and, as our dragoman tells us that this is the last opportunity we shall have of looking at Jerusalem, we turn our horse's head toward the city and take a long, sad and thrilling look at the religious capital of our planet. This is the most impressive view of the most tremendous city of all time.

On and around this hill the armies of the crusaders at the first sight of the city threw themselves on their faces in worship. Here most of the besieging armies encamped the night before opening their volleys of death against Jerusalem. Our last look! Farewell, Mount Zion, Mount Moriah, Mount of Olives, Mount Calvary! Will we never see them again? Never. The world is so large and time is so short, and there are so many things we have never seen at all, that we cannot afford to duplicate visits or see anything more than once. Farewell, yonder thrones of gray rock, and the three thousand years of architecture and battlefields. Farewell, sacred, sanguinary, triumphant, humiliated Jerusalem! Across this valley of the Kedron with my right hand I throw thee a kiss of valedictory. Our last look, like our first look, an agitation of body, mind and soul indescribable.

THE CORPSE CUT INTO TWELVE PIECES.

And now, like Ezekiel in my text, I lift up mine eyes the way toward the north. Near here was one of the worst tragedies of the ages mentioned in the Bible. A hospitable old man coming home at eventide from his work in the fields finds two strangers, a husband and wife, proposing to lodge in the street because no shelter is offered them, and invites them to come in and spend the night in his home. During the night the ruffians of the neighborhood conspired together, and surrounded the house, and left the woman dead on the doorstep, and the husband, to rally in revenge the twelve tribes, cut the corpse of the woman into twelve parts and sent a twelfth of it to each tribe, and the fury of the nation was roused, and a peremptory demand was made for the surrender of the assassins, and, the demand refused, in one day twenty thousand people were left dead on the field and the next day eighteen thousand. Wherever our horse today plants his foot in those ancient times a corpse lay, and the roads were crossed by red rivulets of carnage.

Now we pass on to where seven youths were put to death and their bodies gibbeted or hung in chains, not for anything they had themselves done, but as a reparation for what their father and grandfather, Saul, had done. Burial was denied these youths from May until November. Rizpah, the mother of two of these dead boys, appoints herself as sentinel to guard the seven corpses from beak of raven and tooth of wolf and paw of lion. She pitches a black tent on the rock close by the gibbets. Rizpah by day sits on the ground in front of her tent, and when a vulture begins to lower out of the noonday sky seeking its prey among the gibbets Rizpah rises, her long hair flying in the wind, and swinging her arms wildly about shoos away the bird of prey until it retreats to its eyrie. At night she rests under the shadow of her tent, and sometimes falls into a drowsiness or half sleep. But the step of a jackal among the dry leaves or the panting of a hyena arouses her, and with the fury of a maniac she rushes out upon the rock crying, "Away! Away!" and then, examining the gibbets to see that they still keep their burden, returns again to her tent till some swooping wing from the midnight sky or some growling monster on the rock again wakes her.

THE GIBBETS IN AMERICA.

A mother watching her dead children through May, June, July, August, September and October! What a vigil! Painters have tried to put upon canvas the scene, and they succeeded in sketching the hawks in the sky and the panthers crawling out from the jungle, but they fail to give the wanness, the earnestness, the supernatural courage, the infinite self sacrifice of Rizpah, the mother. A mother in the quiet home watching by the casket of a dead child for one night exerts the artist to his utmost, but who is sufficient to put upon canvas a mother for six months of midnights guarding her whole family, dead and gibbeted upon the mountains?

Go home, Rizpah! You must be awfully tired. You are sacrificing your reason and your life for those whom you can never bring back again to your bosom. As I say that from the darkest midnight of the century Rizpah turns upon me and cries: "How dare you tell me to go home? I am a mother. I am not tired. You might as well expect God to get tired as for a mother to get tired. I cared for those boys when they lay on my breast in infancy, and I will not forsake them now that they are dead. Interrupt me not. There stoops an eagle that I must drive back with my agonized cry. There is a panther I must beat back with my club!"

Do you know what that scene by our roadside in Palestine makes me think of? It is no unusual scene. Right here in these three cities by the American sea coast there are a thousand cases this moment worse than that. Mothers watching boys that the rum saloon, that annex of hell, has gibbeted in a living death. Boys hung in chains of evil habit they cannot break. The father may go to sleep after waiting until 12 o'clock at night for the ruined boy to come home and, giving it up, he may say, "Mother, come to bed; there's no use sitting up any longer." But mother will not go to bed. It is 1 o'clock in the morning. It is half-past 1. It is 2 o'clock. It is half-past 2 when he comes staggering through the hall.

Do you say that young man is yet alive? No; he is dead. Dead to his father's entreaties. Dead to his mother's prayers. Dead to the family altar where he was reared. Dead to all the noble ambitions that once inspired him. Twice dead. Only a corpse of what he once was. Gibbeted before God and man and angels and devils. Chained in a death that will not loosen its cold grasp. His father is asleep, his brothers are asleep, his sisters are asleep; but his mother is watching him, watching him in the night. After he has gone up to bed and fallen into a drunken sleep his mother will go up to his room and see that he is properly covered, and before she turns out the light will put a kiss upon his bloated lips. "Mother, why don't you go to bed?" "Ah!" she says, "I cannot go to bed. I am Rizpah watching the slain!"

A POINTED POLITICAL SUGGESTION.

And what are the political parties of this country doing for such cases? They are taking care not to hurt the feelings of the jackals and buzzards that roost on the shelves of the grog shops and hoot above the dead. I am often asked to what political party I belong, and I now declare my opinion of the political parties today. Each one is worse than the other, and the only consolation in regard to them is that they have putrefied until they have no more power to rot. Oh, that comparatively tame scene upon which Rizpah looked! She looked upon only seven of the slain. American motherhood and American wifehood this moment are looking upon seventy of the slain, upon seven hundred of the slain, upon seventy thousand of the slain. Woe! woe! woe!

My only consolation on this subject is that foreign capitalists are buying up the American breweries. The present owners see that the doom of that business is coming as surely as that God is not dead. They are unloading upon foreign capitalists, and when we can get these breweries into the hands of people living on the other side of the sea our political parties will cease to be afraid of the liquor traffic, and at their conventions nominating presidential candidates will put in their platform a plank as big as the biggest plank of the biggest ocean steamer, saying: "Resolved unanimously that we always have been and always will be opposed to alcoholism."

But I must spur on our Arab steed, and here we come in sight of Beeroth, said to be the place where Joseph and Mary missed the boy Jesus on the way from Jerusalem to Nazareth, going home now from a great national festival. "Where is my child, Jesus?" says Mary. "Where is my child, Jesus?" says Joseph. Among the thousands that are returning from Jerusalem they thought that certainly he was walking on in the crowd. They described him, saying: "He is 12 years old, and of light complexion and blue eyes. A lost child!" Great excitement in all the crowd. Nothing so stirs folks as the news that a child is lost. I shall not forget the scene when, in a great outdoor meeting, I was preaching, and some one stepped on the platform and said that a child was lost. We went on with the religious service, but all our minds were on the lost child.

After a while a man brought on the platform a beautiful little tot that looked like a piece of heaven dropped down, and said, "Here is that child." And I forgot all that I was preaching about, and lifted the child to my shoulder and said, "Here is the lost child, and the mother will come and get her right away, or I will take her home and add her to my own brood!" And some cried and some shouted, and amid all that crowd I instantly detected the mother. Everybody had to get out of her way or be walked over. Hats were nothing and shoulders were nothing and heads were nothing in her pathway, and I realized something of what must have been Mary's anxiety when she lost Jesus, and what her gladness when she found her boy in the temple of Jerusalem talking with those old ministers of religion, Shammai, Hillel and Betirah.

THE CHILD PRAYED FOR IS CARED FOR.

I bear down on you today with a mighty comfort. Mary and Joseph said, "Where is our Jesus?" and you say, "Where is John? or where is Henry? or where is George?" Well, I should not wonder if you found him after a while. Where? In the same place where Joseph and Mary found their boy—in the temple. What do I mean by that? I mean, you do your duty toward God and toward your child and you will find him after a while in the kingdom of Christ. Will you say, "I do not have any way of influencing my child?" I answer you have the most tremendous line of influence open right before you. As you write a letter, and there are two or three routes by which it may go, but you want it to go the quickest route, and you put on it "via Southampton," or "via San Francisco," or "via Marseilles," put on your wishes about your child, "via the throne of God." How long will such a good wish have to get to its destination? Not quite as long as the millionth part of a second. I will prove it. The promise is, "Before they call I will answer." That means at your first motion toward such prayerful exercise the blessing will come, and if the prayer be made at 10 o'clock at night it will be answered five minutes before ten. "Before they call I will answer."

Well, you say, I am clear discouraged about my son, and I am getting on in years, and I fear I will not live to see him converted. Perhaps not. Nevertheless I think you will find him in the temple, the heavenly temple. There has not been an hour in heaven the last one hundred years when parents in glory had not had announced to them the salvation of children whom they left in this world profligate. We often have to say "I forgot," but God has never yet once said "I forgot." It may be after the grass of thirty summers has greened the top of your grave that your son may be found in the earthly temple. It may be fifty years from now when some morning the towers are chiming the matins of the glorified in heaven that you shall find him in the higher temple which has "no need of candle or of sun, for the Lord God and the Lamb are the light thereof."

Cheer up, Christian father and mother! Cheer up! Where Joseph and Mary found their boy you will find yours—in the temple. You see, God could not afford to do otherwise. One of the things he has positively promised in the Bible is that he will answer earnest and believing prayer. Failing to do that he would wreck his own throne, and the foundations of his palace would give way, and the bank of heaven would suspend payment, and the dark word "repudiation" would be written across the sky, and the eternal government would be disbanded and God himself would become an exile. Keep on with your prayer, and you will yet find your child in the temple, either the temple here or the temple above.

A CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S PRAYER.

Out on the western prairies was a happy but isolated home. Father, mother and child. By the sale of cattle quite a large sum of money was one night in that cabin, and the father was away. A robber who had heard of the money one night looked in at the window, and the wife and mother of that home saw him and she was helpless. Her child by her side, she knelt down and prayed among other things for all prodigals who were wandering up and down the world. The robber heard her prayer and was overwhelmed and entered the cabin and knelt beside her and began to pray. He had come to rob that house, but the prayer of that woman for prodigals reminded him of his mother and her prayers before he became a vagabond, and from that hour he began a new life. Years after that woman was in a city in a great audience, and the orator who came on the platform and plead gloriously for righteousness and God was the man who many years before had looked into the cabin on the prairie as a robber. The speaker and the auditor immediately recognized each other. After so long a time a mother's prayers answered.

But we must hurry on, for the muleteers and baggage men have been ordered to pitch our tents for to-night at Bethel. It is already getting so dark that we have to give up all idea of guiding the horses, and leave them to their own sagacity. We ride down amid mud cabins and into ravines, where the horses leap from depth to depth, rocks below rocks, rocks under rocks. Whoa! Whoa! We dismount in this place, memorable for many things in Bible history, the two more prominent a theological seminary, where of old they made ministers, and for Jacob's dream. The students of this Bethel Theological seminary were called "sons of the prophets." Here the young men were fitted for the ministry, and those of us who ever had the advantage of such institutions will everlastingly be grateful, and in the calendar of saints, which I read with especial affection, are the doctors of divinity who blessed me with their care.

I thank God that from these theological seminaries there is now coming forth a magnificent crop of young ministers, who are taking the pulpits in all parts of the land. I call their coming, and tell these young brothers to shake off the somnolence of centuries, and get out from under the dusty shelves of theological discussions which have no practical bearing on this age, which needs to get rid of its sins and have its sorrows comforted. Many of our pulpits are dying of humdrum. People do not go to church because they cannot endure the technicalities and profound explanations of nothing, and sermons about the "eternal generation of the son," and the difference between sub-lapsarianism and supra-lapsarianism, and about who Melchisedec wasn't. There ought to be as much difference between the modes of presenting truth now and in olden time as between a lightning express rail train and a canal boat.

Years ago I went up to the door of a factory in New England. On the outside door I saw the words, "No admittance." I went in and came to another door over which were the words, "No admittance." Of course I went in, and came to the third door inscribed with the words, "No admittance." Having entered this I found the people inside making pins, beautiful pins, useful pins, and nothing but pins. So over the outside door of many of the churches has been practically written the words, "No admittance." Some have entered and have come to the inside door, and found the words, "No admittance." But, persisting, they have come inside, and found us sounding out our little niceties of belief, pointing out our little differences of theological sentiment—making pins!

"ANGELS ASCENDING AND DESCENDING."

But most distinguished was Bethel for that famous dream which Jacob had, his head on a collection of stones. He had no trouble in this rocky region in finding a rocky pillow. There is hardly anything else but stone. Yet the people of those lands have a way of drawing their outer garment up over their head and face, and such a pillow I suppose Jacob had under his head. The plural was used in the Bible story, and you find it was not a pillow of stone, but of stones, I suppose, so that if one proved to be of uneven surface he would turn over in the night and take another stone, for with such a hard bolster he would often change in the night. Well, that night God built in Jacob's dream a long splendid ladder, the feet of it on either side of the tired pilgrim's pillow, and the top of it mortised in the sky. And bright immortals came out from the castles of amber and gold and put their shining feet on the shining rungs of the ladder, and they kept coming down and going up, a procession both ways.

I suppose they had wings, for the Bible almost always reports them as having wings, but this was a ladder on which they used hands and feet to encourage all those of us who have no wings to climb, and encouraging us to believe that if we will use what we have God will provide a way, and if we will employ the hand and the foot he will furnish the ladder. Young man, do not wait for wings. Those angels folded theirs to show you wings are not necessary. Let all the people who have hard pillows—hard for sickness, or hard for poverty, or hard for persistence—know that a hard pillow is the landing place for angels. They seldom descend to pillows of eiderdown. They seldom build dreams in the brain of the one who sleeps easy.

The greatest dream of all time was that of St. John, with his head on the rocks of Patmos, and in that vision he heard the seven trumpets sounded, and saw all the pomp of heaven in procession cherubic, seraphic, archangelic. The next most memorable and glorious dream was that of John Bunyan, his pillow the cold stone of the floor of Bedford jail, from which he saw the celestial city, and so many entering it he cried out in his dream, "I wish myself among them!"

RUNG BY RUNG THEY ROSE.

The next most wonderful dream was that of Washington sleeping on the ground at Valley Forge, his head on a white pillowcase of snow, where he saw the vision of a nation emancipated. Columbus slept on a weaver's pillow, but rose on the ladder let down until he could see a new hemisphere. Demosthenes slept on a cutter's pillow, but on the ladder let down arose to see the mighty assemblages that were to be swayed by his oratory. Arkwright slept on a barber's pillow, but went up the ladder till he could see all England quake with the factories he set going. Akenside slept on a butcher's pillow, and took the ladder up till he saw other generations helped by his scholarship.

John Ashworth slept on a poor man's pillow, but took the ladder up until he could see his prayers and exertions bring thousands of the destitute in England to salvation and heaven. Nearly all those who are today great in merchandise, in statesmanship, in law, in medicine, in art, in literature, were once at the foot of the ladder, and in their boyhood had a pillow hard as Jacob's. They who are born at the top of the ladder are apt to spend their lives in coming down, while those who are at the foot, and their head on a bowlder, if they have the right kind of dream, are almost sure to rise.

I notice that those angels, either in coming down or going up on Jacob's ladder, took it rung by rung. They did not leap to the bottom nor jump to the top. So you are to rise. Faith added to faith, good deed to good deed, industry to industry, consecration to consecration, until you reach the top, rung by rung. Gradual go ing up from a block of granite to pillar of throne.

That night at Bethel I stood in front of my tent and looked up, and the heavens were full of ladders, first a ladder of clouds, then a ladder of stars, and all up and down the heavens were angels of beauty, angels of consolation, angels of God, ascending and descending. "Surely, God is in this place," said Jacob, "and I knew it not." But to-night God is in this place and I know it.

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Victoria, B. C., Nov. 7, 1890. nov7td

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TRADE AND COMMERCE.

The Excitement on the N.Y. Market Subsiding—No Failures.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The stock market to-day, while still very active, showed less excitement in early trading and afterward subsided into the ordinary appearance, with only usual fluctuations. The feeling in the street has changed for the better, and in the opinion of the habitues of the street now there will come a general improvement in values. The late reaction from the low prices of two days ago is regarded as principally the effect of government shorts, together with some buying by those who had thrown their holdings over on the scare.

There were no further failures or bank suspensions, but the bears demonstrated the fact that they are still very much alive. The natural tendency of prices to advance after the late severe drop was checked, and while fluctuations were on a comparatively small scale, they were in some cases very material, though final changes are in most cases for fractional amounts only.

The market opened excited and weak. North American was 2⅜ points lower, at 16, and on enormous sales declined to 8, rallied to 13, and again reacted to 12. The general list showed on the opening a decline of ½ to 2½ per cent.

An hour before noon a confident feeling was restored, and actively increased towards the end of the hour, while prices advanced more rapidly, and there were gains over the lowest prices of early dealings, extending to 2½ for Atkinson, Northern Pacific preferred and Rock Island being prominent in the upward movement. The market at 11 o'clock was active and strong, at the highest figures of the hour.

At noon money was tight at 12 per cent. The downward movement made progress in Villard later in the hour, and North American rallied to 9, prices ruling active and steady, at small fractions better than the opening.

Stocks after 12:30 were firm and the best prices of the forenoon were again reached. A decided weakness was developed toward 2 o'clock. Sugar refineries became the leader of the decline, dropping from 58 to 54¾. Northern Pacific preferred lost 1¾ at 60¼, and Atchison 1⅛, at 30⅛. Union Pacific scored a loss of 1⅞. The downward movement then acquired additional force, and everything went off, the market becoming again demoralized and before the delivery hour all the forenoon's advances were completely wiped out, with fractions in addition. Northern Pacific preferred was subjected to special pressure and retired to 57½. At 2:15 the market was active and weak at the lowest prices of the day.

Stocks were still disturbed after 2:15, but soon recovered. Northern Pacific preferred rose from 57½ to 60. The market at this recovery became again quiet, and closed active and fairly steady at slight changes from the opening. The list is again lower. Sugar is down 3⅛, Northern Pacific preferred 1⅛, Pacific Mail 3⅛, Louisville & Nashville 1⅛, and North American 7⅜, with only fractional changes in the rest of the active stocks.

Governments steady.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Two million pounds in gold will be shipped from Paris to London to-day and will be sent into the bank on Saturday. More gold is on the way from Russia and still more from Rio Janeiro. The report of a panic was unfounded. The situation was undoubtedly nervous, but the next few days promise an improvement. At no time during the present depression has there been anything likely to be construed into an absolute panic. To-day's settlement was gotten over without any failures. Everybody looked forward to many failures, the strained condition for the past week having made this almost inevitable, and there was great surprise at the firmness with which every one met the ordeal. It was privately reported to-day that a well-known private bank was in difficulty, but to-night the matter is said to have been arranged. Americans closed at their best prices.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The stress in stocks during the last few days has been due to the weakness of a large private bank. This firm is now amalgamated with a large London bank, a sale of $500,000 worth of consols yesterday consummating this transaction. Confidence now prevails, and everything is on a firm basis. This morning prices opened firmer, but became weaker compared with yesterday's closing and then advanced 1 1-6 for consols, and fractional advances for American securities. At 3:30 p.m. the market was flat, in consequence of the prevalence of unfavorable rumors regarding a discount house. The exchange closed below New York, and took all the stock thrown on the market, causing a firm tendency.

HORRIBLE ATROCITIES.

Fearful Tales Told by an Interpreter of Stanley's Rear Guard.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Times publishes the full text of an affidavit made by Assad Farran, the Syrian interpreter, in regard to the events belonging to Stanley's "rear guard." It is explained that he was obliged in London to contradict his previous statements for certain reasons, especially because the commission didn't desire that he should review the disgraceful story. Assad declared how Major Barttelot, after Stanley had left Yambuu, decided, on account of a scarcity of food, to employ armed Soudanese to attack the neighboring villages. Regarding the Jameson affair at Ribakiba, the affidavit states that Jameson expressed to Tippoo Tib's interpreter his curiosity to witness cannibalism. After some consultation Jameson purchased a girl aged 10 for whom he paid six handkerchiefs. Jameson soon explained to the cannibals that the girl was a present from a white man who desired to see her eaten. The girl was tied to a tree while the natives sharpened their knives. Then one of the men stabbed the girl twice in the abdomen. She had made no outcry, but knew what was happening and looked to the right and left, seeking help. When stabbed she fell dead. The natives tore the body to pieces, some taking the arms, others the legs, breast and other portions directly to their tents. Others took the entrails to the river and washed them before eating them. Jameson in the meantime was making rough sketches, then Assad and the other witnesses returned to the chief's hut and Jameson went to his own tent and finished the sketches in water colors. There were six sketches very neatly done. The first represented the girl tied to a tree; the second showed the stabbing scene and the blood gushing outside; the third depicted the dissection of the body. In the fourth one a man was shown with a leg in one hand and a knife in the other. The fifth showed a man with a native axe in one hand and a head and breast in the other. The sixth showed a man with the entrails. Assad relates how Barttelot was in the habit of daily ordering the men to receive from 25 to 100 lashes for various offences. He describes the arrival of and the negotiations with Tippo Tib.

There were numerous cases of thefts of food. The guilty persons were punished by 100 more lashes, their flesh being badly lacerated. In one case Major Barttelot ordered the whipping stopped, but it was resumed in a few days, and he inflicted 150 more lashes. This man was then compelled to walk ten hours daily in the sun, while heavily chained. He continued this for two months, when the man's wounds became putrid and infected with maggots. The major then released him from duty for a week, and Bonny gave him medicine, but the man was at once ordered to resume the march. He managed to escape, was recaptured four days after, a reward having been offered, and he was shot, despite Jameson's protest. Assad relates many instances of Barttelot's cruelty.

The Times also publishes a further statement by Bonny, to the effect that in his opinion the cannibalism incident was the cause of the death of both Jameson and Barttelot. Assad having told Congo authorities of the affair, they were indignant and excited and forced Assad to make his affidavit, which was sent to Europe. Barttelot, becoming aware of this, took full notes in his diary. When he arrived at the village where he was shot he was in a terrible state of excitement and anger, fearing that the cannibalism incident would become known in Europe and that he would lose his commission. He said: "When it becomes known that one of our men did this awful thing, I shall be blamed." Bonny adds: "Violent as the Major had been before, he never so utterly lost control of himself as now. I ascribe his violence, which led to his death, to this cause. I never doubted that he was becoming insane through privations, anxieties and other causes, but the cannibalism incident was unquestionably the last straw."

Bonny relates the fact of Jameson's procuring the head of a negro. He says: "It was a man with whom we were well acquainted. He had been shot by an Arab. The head was salted down and sent to London where it was stuffed by Roland Ward & Co. Once when I was visiting Mrs. Jameson, she showed me this curiosity and asked me if I recognized it. I replied 'yes, I have shaken his hand often.' She said that it sometimes emitted a disagreeable odor and she inquired the reason. I replied: 'You have a human barometer here. The salt was not properly eliminated from the skin in stuffing, and the damp atmosphere affects it.' Bonny says that Mr. Ward refuses to say anything about the stuffing of the head.

POLITICAL ENGINEERING.

An Art in Which American Wire-Pullers Beat the World.

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The Third House of Congress, commonly known as the lobby, practices this branch of political mechanics with wonderful skill. It greases the wheels of legislation and manipulates with infinite dexterity all the complicated apparatus therewith connected.

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Foreign ministers, consuls, collectors of customs, postmasters and the like are not unfrequently indebted to this art conservative of all arts for their places. Sometimes it takes as much skill as Prometheus displayed in fashioning his man to manufacture them, and very often, like the Promethean biped, they turn out mere abortions. Ambitious politicians would be nowhere without the help of the American participle.

'Tis engineering shapes their ends,
Rough hew them as they will.

The Double Peril of Africa.

Two giant evils stand face to face in Africa. The one is slavery, carried on by heartless Arab slave-hunters; the other is the rum traffic, supplied by the Christian nations of Europe.

York Farm, Moosomin, N.W.T.

Writing from this fertile district, Mr. G. F. Clarke says: "I had a severe attack of diarrhœa, but was quickly cured by using Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

POLITENESS IN COREA

Peculiar Experience of an American Lady in Seoul.

The natives in the East who have become familiar with foreigners and their customs take very readily to the custom of calling—and eating—on New Year's day, and one lady had a very peculiar experience with a native official in Seoul last year.

She was keeping "open house," and had made some preparation for receiving her guests in the proper manner. Among other things, she had prepared with her own hands a very excellent cake, which she expected to distribute in little bits to all who might favor her with a call. A party of native gentlemen arrived, and, having given one of them a cup of tea, she placed this fine cake before him with an invitation to help himself. She then went with the others to another room, and was gone some time. When she returned she saw to her horror that her beautiful cake had all but disappeared down the throat of the poor fellow, who had tried his best to do the polite thing—according to his country's customs—and not leave any of the food set before him, thus showing his appreciation of the host's table and hospitality. The lady's vexation was vanished by a feeling of commiseration for the miserable man, who seemed to be very much in need of an emetic just then. It is said this call was his first and last on that day, as he declared to a friend that foreigners must be all stomach if they could go from house to house and do justice to the hospitality of each.

Baby Buggies, the finest and largest assortment in the city at low prices, from $9.50 up, at J. Sehl's 66 Government street

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. B. H. Tyrwhitt Drake, Barrister-at-Law was on 1st August last admitted as a partner in the firm of Drake, Jackson and Helmcken which will hereafter as heretofore be carried on under the firm name of
DRAKE, JACKSON AND HELMCKEN.
Dated 13th October 1890. oc13-1m

Valuable Water Front Property for Sale

THE OWNERS OFFER FOR SALE FOUR choice lots on Constance Cove, with a total street frontage of over 300 feet and a water frontage of 175 feet. These lots are all cleared, free from rock, within five minutes of tram, and occupying a gently sloping position to the water front, will become highly valuable in the near future. Apply to "A" TIMES office or Dalby, Ballentyne & Claxton, Yates street, nov4-2w

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

DR W. RENWICK, RESIDENCE NO. 30 HILLSIDE AVE. OFFICE NO. 79 FORT STREET.
Office Hours 10 to 12 a.m., 7 to 8 p.m. oc25-1m

NOTICE

In the Estate of Paris Carter, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the estate of the deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith, and all persons who have claims against such estate are requested to forward particulars thereof to the undersigned before the 8th December, 1890.
W. H. WHEELER, GEO. P. CARTER. } Executors.
Victoria, B.C. Nov., 8, 1890. no8-1m

Jas. Williams, Deceased, Intestate.

ANY PERSON HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the above estate are requested to send the same at once to the undersigned as the estate will be distributed on the 28th November, 1890. All claims not sent in by that date will be barred.
JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator.
Dated Nov., 7, 1890. no7-td

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED for the erection and completion of three two story frame cottages on Cook, near View street, for the British Columbia Land and Investment Company, limited, up till 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 22nd instant. Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Signed, JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.

To Contractors

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED BY the Puget's Sound Agricultural Company for making the under mentioned thoroughfares, plans and specifications of which can be seen at the office of the Hudson's Bay Company, Wharf street, Victoria.

FRASER STREET, FROM ESQUIMALT ROAD TO ARMIT ROAD.
ARMIT ROAD, FROM FRASER STREET TO MUNRO STREET.
MUNRO STREET.
STEPHENSON ROAD.
SEA VIEW ROAD.
ANSON STREET.
ROBERT STREET, FROM ANSON STREET TO SMITH STREET.
SMITH STREET.
LYALL STREET.
FERN STREET.
VICTORIA VIEW ROAD.
LAMPSON STREET, FROM MUNRO STREET TO ESQUIMALT ROAD.
LAMPSON STREET, FROM ESQUIMALT ROAD TO ESQUIMALT OLD ROAD.
LAMPSON STREET, FROM ESQUIMALT OLD ROAD TO CRAIGFLOWER ROAD.

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, and sent in on, or before Monday, the 17th of November. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS R. SMITH,
Assistant Commissioner Hudson's Bay Company
no8-td

—THE—

VICTORIA COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

103 GOVERNMENT STREET,

Will be Opened for the winter Session on

MONDAY NEXT NOVEMBER 10th.

The Rev. L. Burnham-Pegg having just completed the purchase of a lease for some years of the premises, has removed there, and will be pleased to meet intending students or friends at their homes, or his present residence at any moment.

Mr. B.-Pegg begs students to examine personally the following Diplomas, and Certificates secured by him.

Diploma of Fellowship of the Society of Science, Literature, and Art of London (England), 1890.

Diplomas—Honors in Greek, and First Class Latin, 1877.

Certificate for proficiency in French, from L. Stievenard, M. A., 1877.

Diploma for Technological science, city and guilds of London Institute, Gresham College, by Sir Philip Magnus, 1881.

Certificate of the Highest class for practical work under Prof. Judd, in Mineralogy, Geology, etc., in School of Mines, London, 1881.

Certificate of the Highest Class for practical work under Professor Guthrie, in Electricity, in School of Mines, 1879.

Certificate in practical work in Inorganic Chemistry under Professor Hodgkinson, in the School of Mines, 1882.

Three advanced Certificates from Science and Arts' Department, S. Kensington, in Theoretical Sciences.

Freemason's, Master's Certificate, 1870.

Mr. Pegg studied Hebrew under Dr. Blancke in 1867, and has taught Hebrew, Spanish and German for years.

Commercial Correspondence, Accounts, Book-keeping and Pitman's Shorthand,

Have been Leading Subjects in his Teaching.

Students are requested to ask for proofs of the following facts: That after acting as Head Master for a year in Smythe street Academy, Wakefield, he resigned receiving a flattering testimonial and presentation. For eight years after he was Head Master in St. Charles' Grammar School, London, and on his resignation in 1883, he received the highest possible testimonial from his managers. Two years later, on resigning his appointment as Science Lecturer, and First Classical Master in St. Guthbert's Grammar School, Newcastle, the Lord Bishop of Newcastle, Canon Ramsay, and the managers gave him their highest commendation. After this he became Principal of the New Cross High School, and of Bath House College, Twickenham. From successful students preparing for Cambridge, London, Durham, Trinity, Edinburgh Universities; the Law, Medical, Local, Army, Engineering College, and Science examinations, about 50 letters are open to inspection.

Students can take Single Class Subjects, or the Course, and payments will be monthly.

A large number of Rooms are Furnished FOR BOARDERS.

As a teacher Mrs. Pegg holds the certificate of the Lords of the Council on education, England; First Class Kindergarten, Singing, and Science Certificates; and for about 20 years (10 as Head Mistress) was employed in the largest schools in England.

Evening Classes in all Subjects

will be commenced at 7 p.m., on Monday, Nov. 10th.

Students can enter for Single classes, or for the course.

N. B.—Please ask for Prospectuses, and distribute them among friends. Nov. 8 1m

FRANK B. FENWICK,
TENOR VOCALIST.
Organist & Choirmaster St. Andrew's Church.
VOCAL TEACHER ANGELA COLLEGE.
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Vocal, Instrumental and Musical Theory.
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German, French, English, Spanish and Italian.
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EXPERT ACCOUNTANT AND TRANSLATER.
oc28-1m

NIGHT SCHOOL.
76 Yates Street, Moody's Block, Room No. 8.
This school has been in successful operation for three years.
Reasonable terms.
Open every evening except Saturday, from 7 to 9.
HINKSON SIDDALL, M.A., Principal.
se26-2m

FOR SALE.

WOOD FOR EVERYBODY. Now is the time to lay in your fall and winter supply. Prices moderate according to quantity. A good supply of oak wood and bark on hand. All orders promptly filled if left at Scotch bakery, Douglas St. Telephone 62.
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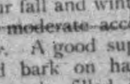

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WILL LEAVE REVELSTOKE EVERY
Monday and Thursday at 4 a.m.
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Connecting at the latter point with the Spokane and Northern R'y Co. Returning will leave LITTLE DALLES every
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KURTZ & CO.'S
CELEBRATED BRANDS OF
HAVANA CIGARS.
July18-tf

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On account of ill-health I am selling a lot of new and second hand articles comprising

Wagons, Buggies, Ploughs, Harrows, Cultivators, Field Rollers, Lawn Rollers, Wheelbarrows, Barrow Wheels, Drills, Crow Bars, Stone Cutters' Tools, Jack Screws, Track Iron, Miners' Picks.

And a large assortment of other Iron; a fine lot of Steel, Hardwood Lumber and numerous other articles.

9 Months Credit on Agricultural Implements.
WM. POWELL,
ONTARIO WAGON SHOP.

LICENSE NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the Jubilee Saloon, 49 Johnson street, from Sprenger and Gaerdes to J. H. Gaerdes.
oc31-1m J. H. GAERDES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors on the premises known as the Stelly House, situate on the south-west corner of Blanchard and Johnson streets in the said city of Victoria, British Columbia.
JOHN DROUT.
Dated this 31st day of Oct., 1890. oc31-1m

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT the next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates of the City of Victoria, we will apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises known as the Brown Jug Saloon and situate at the corner of Fort and Government streets, in said City of Victoria, held by Mrs. A. C. Couves, to the undersigned.
WILLIAM CROFT, MICHAEL POWERS.
Victoria, Oct. 21, 1890. oc21-1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates, for the City of Victoria, I shall apply for a transfer of the license held by me at the Belmont Saloon to Messrs. Flewin Bros
no8-d15 JARVIS LONGHURST.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT WE intend to apply at the next sitting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria for a transfer of the License held by us for the North Pacific Saloon to Messrs. Savage & Dale.
SAVAGE & DOGHERTY.
Nov. 11, 1890. no12-td

UNDERTAKERS.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER,
Broughton St., Victoria.

C. B. LOCKHART & CO.,
FUNERAL DIRECTORS,
Graduates of the United States College of Embalming.
PARLORS { Corner Broad Street and Trounce Ave.
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OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.
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For sale by LANGLEY & CO. Victoria. nov18

GREAT ENGLISH PRESCRIPTION

A SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE OF 30 YEARS TEST has cured thousands of cases of Nervous Prostration, Weakness of Brain, Poor Memory, Dizziness and all diseases caused by ignorance in youth. Six boxes are guaranteed to cure when all other medicines fail. One $1; six boxes, $5.00. Manufactured by EUREKA CHEMICAL CO., Detroit, Mich. Sold and sent anywhere by mail by LANGLEY & CO., Victoria, B.C.

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Organic Weakness, Failing Memory, Lack of Energy, Physical Decay, positively cured by Hazelton's Vitalizer. Also Nervous Debility, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Ambition, Stunted Development, Loss of power, Pains in the Back, Sleeplessness, Aversion to Society, Unfit for Study, Excessive indulgence, etc., etc. Every bottle guaranteed. 20,000 sold yearly. Address enclosing stamp for treatise, J. E. HAZELTON, Druggist, 308 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont. Mention TIMES.

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MID-WIFE
Has Diploma from the University of Edinburgh.
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OPTICIAN, 27 FORT STREET, ONE DOOR from Government, Victoria, B. C. Perfected Spectacles and Eye Glasses always on hand and carefully adjusted to sight; twenty five years' experience in fitting glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed. OPTICAL GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. dec29-1y

MUNICIPAL.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date, Chatham street, between Chambers street and Fernwood Road, will be closed for traffic, until further notice.
By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Nov. 13, 1890. no13

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE to WATER CONSUMERS

Notice is hereby given that all parties who are three months in arrears for water rates on the 30th day of November next will have their water supply from the city water works turned off.
By order of Committee.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Oct. 30, 1890. oc30

MUNICIPAL.

Any Householder desiring to register their vote for the municipal elections under the 35th clause of the Municipalities Act, sub section C, can do so by filling up the necessary declaration papers, which will be furnished at the City Hall, and returning the same to the undersigned any time during the month of November, 1890.
W. W. NORTHCOTT, Assessor.
oc28-1m

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 o'clock p. m. on the 17th of December next, at the office of the undersigned for the Construction of Sewers for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C.

For particulars of plans and specifications, apply at the City Hall, Victoria, on or after the 15th day of November next ensuing.

Five per centum of the approximate amount of the work tendered for will be required to be deposited with a tender to ensure its consideration. This may be done either in Cash or by Certified Cheque on some Bank in British Columbia. All Cash or Certified Cheques to be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER. C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria B. C., Sep. 29, 1890 oc1

MUNICIPAL.

SEALED TENDERS, ENDORSED "Tender for the Sewerage Loan Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of November next, at 4 p.m., for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $300,000 issued under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890, the Municipal Act, 1889, and Amendment Act, 1890.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

Any information desired may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.
By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 29th. oct1

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS ARE HEREBY invited, by virtue and authority of the Deluge Fire Engine House Sale By-Law, 1890, and will be received at the office of the undersigned until WEDNESDAY, the 26th of November instant, at 4 p.m., for the purchase of the building and premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Lot of land upon which the same is erected, being part of Lot 423, Block 2, City of Victoria.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Nov. 7, 1890. no7-td

WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and pro rata for more space or longer time.

WANTED—A good general servant in a small family. Good wages. Apply 3 St. Lawrence street, James Bay. no14-1w

WANTED—A situation by a young woman from England. Apply or address Mrs. J. Nichol, Avalon road, next house to residence of City Surveyor facing the Park. no14-2t

WANTED—A bread baker immediately. Apply to M. R. Smith & Co., 57 Fort street. no12-1w

WANTED—Position by a respectable girl now in the old country. A first class cook and housekeeper. Address 169 Fort street. no12-1w

WANTED—A Carpenter. Apply at the B.C. Pottery Co., Constance Cove Road. oc13

TO LET.

FURNISHED ROOMS—To let, over Vienna Coffee House, 106 Yates street. J. Barran. nov10-1m

TO LET—Furnished—With possession about 15th November the commodious dwelling house, 82 Belleville street, James Bay. Apply on the premises. no5-tf

TO LET—New and nicely furnished rooms with or without fire, by day, week or month. Apply 53 Yates street. oc27-1m

TO LET—New modern houses built for warmth and comfort; will be let by month or on lease to reliable parties; location best in the city. Inquire of J. A. Lawrence, 46 Government street. sept18-tf

TO LET, After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 153 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Splendid Upright Piano, Cabinet Grand American make 7⅓ octave, nearly new. 68 North Park street. no14-2t

FOR SALE—A modern villa nearly completed containing 6 rooms, bath room, pantry, closets, hot and cold water, brick ... and ... on premises, outbuildings, foundation, good w... ...only 43 Chatings and fences. Price $2500. ... no14-1w ham street, Spring Ridge.

FOR SALE—At public auction on Saturday evening, Nov. 15th by J. Mortimer and Co., 122 Government street, a good sail boat everything complete. Can be seen at boat house near Railroad bridge. Apply to the Manager. no14-2t

FOR SALE—A pair of carriage horses. Apply Howard Hotel, Esquimalt. no12-1w.

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—A life insurance policy in the London and Lancashire Insurance Company. Finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office. no14-3t

LOST—On Friday evening the 7th instant, in front of the Driard Hotel a fountain pen (Waterman.) Finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving same at this office. no10-1w

ARCHITECTS.

T. B. NORGATE & CO., ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS AND PATENT AGENTS.

Sketches, Plans, Elevations, Specifications etc., prepared. Office, Moody's Block, 76 Yates street, Victoria B. C. mn30tf

EDWD. McCOSKRIE & Co., ARCHITECTS AND BUILDING SUPERINTENDENTS, Belmont Co. Block, Yates street, Victoria, B. C. P.O. box 41. se23-tf

HOOPER & GODDARD ARCHITECTS.

Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government street. jy5-tf

P. H. DONOVAN, ARCHITECT.

Office, Craft & Norris Block, Douglas street. Plans and specifications furnished on the shortest notice. ap2tf

JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT,

Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

CIVIL ENGINEERS, Etc.

C. W. BUSK, Assoc. M. Inst. C.E., M. Soc. C.E. MINING AND GENERAL SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER.

Plans and estimates furnished, reports prepared, works undertaken, and contracts superintended for all kinds of Engineering or Surveying work in the south part of the West Kootenay District. Address P. O. Box 346, Victoria, B. C., or Nelson, Kootenay Lake B. C. lan29

G. HARGREAVES, CIVIL ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR AND ARCHITECT.

Plans, specifications and estimates furnished for buildings. S. E. corner of Government and Fort streets, upstairs, Victoria, B. C.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

QUEEN'S MARKET. L. GOODACRE,

Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher. Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

A. & W. WILSON, PLUMBERS AND GASFITTERS,

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JOHN J. AUSTIN, NOTARY PUBLIC.

Real Estate and General Agent. Loans negotiated. Town and Country Property for sale. Office Government street Victoria. P.O. Box 50.

PHYSICIANS.

HOMŒPATHIC REMOVAL. DR. J. HALL

Will leave his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 2nd, for the new brick block corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 4 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

J. K. GARROW, M. D.

(Lately attending Guy's Hospital, London, and Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.) Specialities: Diseases of Women and Children and Chronic Diseases. Office and residence, corner of Douglas and Yates streets, over Cochrane & Munn's drug store. Office hours:—9 to 11 a.m., 1 to 3, and 7 to 8:30 p.m. Calls in city or country promptly attended to. nov9-3m

EDUCATIONAL.

J. YARDLEY, Vocal and Instrumental Music. Assistant master in Victoria College is prepared to give lessons. Address in the first instance in care of the Rev. J. W. Green, Warden's Hall, Victoria College. no15

SCHOOLS OF PRACTICAL, CIVIL, MECHANICAL, Mining Engineering, Surveying, Draughting, Architecture, Assaying and Navigation, 170½ Second street, Portland, Or., and 724 Market street, San Francisco, Cal. Established 1864. A. VANDER NAILLEN, Pres. Send for circular. sep15-1yr

INSURANCE.

THE NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY. Established 1797. Amount insured $329,000,000. H. D. HELMCKEN, Agent. Bastion street, Victoria, B. C. jan3-1y

SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy3 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street, sojourning companions cordially invited. E. LANGLEY, Scribe E. jel-1y

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER, K. of R. & S. oct9

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSEN CITY SCAVENGER.

Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.

Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.

Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. jul8

JOHN DOHERTY GENERAL SCAVENGER.

Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. aug22-1y

THOMAS LANCASTER, SCAVENGER.

Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Orders may be left at Demers and Son, Grocers, corner Douglas and Pandora streets; Mr. Fee, corner North Park and Quadra streets; Mr. Nathan, Spring Ridge; Mr. Moffatt, corner Fort and Blanchard streets. au16-tf

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

An Undivided three-fifths Interest in Suburban Lot No. xxxviii, Esquimalt District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF TItle of Frederick L. Castle of San Francisco, California, to a three-fifths interest in suburban lot number 38, Esquimalt District, bearing date the 2nd day of July 1863, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month of the date hereof.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Acting Registarar General,

Land Registry Office, Victoria October 1..., 1890.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Lot 459, Victoria City.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above hereditaments will be issued to William John Macdonald on the 18th day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or any part thereof.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Acting Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, Oct. 15, 1890. oc15-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

An undivided fifth of Suburban Lot No. xxxviii, also Subdivision Lot No. 15 of Suburban Lot xiv and xxxvii, and Sections lxi and lxii Esquimalt District.

CERTIFICATES OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above property will be issued to Thomas Atkins on the 4th day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the Registrar-General, in writing, by some person claiming an estate, or interest in said property or some part thereof.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Acting Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria 27th Sept. 1890. oc14-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

An Undivided One-Fifth of Suburban Lot No. xxxviii, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above will be issued to Charles Hayward, on the 26th day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 20th October, 1890. oc22-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a timber cutting license of Valdez Island, about 1½ miles east of Granite Point:—Commencing at a stake about ¼ a mile from salt water; thence running north 5 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 10 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 10 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 10 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 20 chains, more or less, to point of commencement. J. A. SAYWARD. September 19, 1890. oc31-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 185 Block W. Victoria West, Esquimalt District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF title of Thomas Black, of the city of Victoria, B.C., to the above mentioned lot has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 6th Nov. 1890. no7-2m

NOTICE

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Mr. VERNON is in Ireland.

Mr. TURNER is giving his attention to mercantile affairs.

Mr. POOLEY has no department to superintend.

Now, who runs the Government?

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AS A PRIVATE PRACTITIONER.

The Colonist tells us that Attorney-General DAVIE will act as counsel for the prosecution in the action about to be instituted against the city of Westminster on account of the death of Captain DUNN of the Titania. We submit that the Attorney-General has no right to enter court, on behalf of either side in this case. He is supposed to be the legal adviser of the Government, and as such his duty in the courts is to direct, or personally conduct, crown cases. In prosecuting New Westminster for damages, the people of that city will have ground for the suspicion that the Government is the prosecutor, and that its power and influence is being used against them as a punishment for electing an Independent. The Attorney-General prosecuted the Wellington strikers, and it will be remembered that Wellington and Nanaimo had previously returned three representatives independent of the Government. The Province pays Mr. DAVIE to attend to public business, and on the ground of duty to his employers alone he cannot honestly enter the courts as an advocate for private suitors. There is no use of appealing to the Attorney-General on the ground of professional propriety or morality, to abstain from the unseemly practice. When the legislature assembles, it will be the duty of the representatives to vote want of confidence in a minister who neglects public business to attend to his private affairs.

KOOTENAY'S WANTS.

The slow development of the mineral district of Kootenay is frequent cause for remark, and has to some extent impressed the public to the effect that the mines are not nearly as rich as they were alleged to be. We have it, though, on reliable authority, that the richness of the Kootenay mines has in no sense been exaggerated, and that the slow development of that region is wholly owing to lack of means for getting the ore to market, or in other words to a smelter. It now costs anywhere from $50 to $75 per ton to ship ore to the nearest smelter, and it need not be pointed out that there are but few mines that can stand this tax with the cost of mining and smelting the ore added. Relief, it is said, lies in trails and wagon roads. Make the smelters accessible to the miners so that cost of transportation may be reduced to figures compatible with profit to miners and activity will take the place of lassitude. Where now are "prospect" holes only, mining operations will begin. It is estimated that the cost of constructing trails and wagon roads to meet the present requirements of the miners would be in the neighborhood $100,000. The opening up of the Lardo, Duncan River and Trout Lake districts would cost $10,000; Toad Mountain and adjacent districts, $20,000; Trail Creek, Good River, Canilo Creek and Arrow Lake, $20,000; Illecillewaet, Fish Creek, Big Bend and Gold Hill, $30,000. These sums, the topography of the country considered, are not excessive, and making due allowance for the well-known sanguineness of miners, we believe that the benefits that would result would be more than commensurate with the outlay. Where there is so much smoke there must be some fire, and if less than $100,000 is all that is required to set Kootenay on its feet, the money should be promptly appropriated. We lay especial stress on this matter for the reason that in the convening of a mining commission the Government have an opportunity to acquaint themselves of the situation with testimony which is absolutely reliable. In the mining commission which is about to sit there are men well qualified to speak on the subject of the needs of Kootenay, and we suggest that supplementary to their labors in revising the mining laws, the question of highways in mining districts be exhaustively discussed and some definite policy resolved upon. A hundred thousand dollars is not a great sum to expend on wagon roads, besides it is not held that this money should be expended all at once. Half of it, probably, would suffice for the present, the remainder to be held back to use as exigencies require. We hope that the Government will seriously consider the feasibility of making smelters accessible to the miners. The province has a profound interest in the development of Kootenay. Unless something is done the trend of trade will have set in so strongly toward the American side that it cannot be diverted, and practical annexation will have taken place.

TRADE LICENSES.

The consensus of opinion among business men seems to be that trade licenses are a hardship, shall we say, a humbug. In this proposition we coincide with the mercantile community, to be candid, we cannot understand that they have real ground for complaint, as the consumer is really the one who pays the tax. It is not to be presumed, as a business proposition, that the mercantile guild pay the license tax out of their own pockets. In estimating the figure at which they can afford to sell goods, they take the cost of the trade license into account the same as any other expense attending the operation of their establishments, and just so with drummers. It cannot be supposed that these gentlemen making a sale will fail to take into consideration that for the privilege of doing business they have been mulcted in a certain sum. Nevertheless, in our opinion, the trade license tax had as well be abandoned. There is no good reason why the city should not undertake to raise a revenue by increasing the property tax. A property tax would subserve the same ends and at the same time the burden of municipal maintenance would be more equally distributed. We are bound to say, however, that the imposition of a tax on drummers who take small orders might justly be imposed. Our tinkers and our tailors and candlestick makers should be protected against this species of competition. As affecting drummers who take orders for single suits of clothes, and in fact who undertake to fill small orders of all kinds, let the tax be made virtually prohibitive. Victoria is under no obligations to contribute to the support of Toronto and Montreal dealers at the expense of her own.

BIRCHALL.

BIRCHALL, as has been foreshadowed by his conduct since his trial, passed over to the "silent majority" with becoming nerve and with little or no show of contrition. The proof of his guilt was manifest in his deportment during the preliminaries leading up to his execution. Had he been an innocent man he must have protested against his hard fate. An innocent man would scarcely submit to an ignominious death, without at least making a fervent declaration of innocence. He was guilty, and he accepted his fate with the stoicism of a man who has played for a stake and has lost. In his life, which the Mail is now publishing, we note that he declared himself no atheist. As to what he really believed, however, he does not say. Whatever may be the differences of opinion respecting BIRCHALL's moral responsibility, the carrying out of the law in his case was virtually a necessity. As the Globe justly points out, "had executive clemency been extended to BIRCHALL, it would have been logically impossible to have inflicted the supreme sentence on any future criminal." But BIRCHALL's sympathizers should not hug the delusion that he was sacrificed to precedent. He was guilty without one extenuating circumstance in his favor. A more justifiable hanging never took place in Canada.

BARTTELOT AND THE REAR COLUMN.

The New York World thus summarizes the EMIN PASHA relief expedition and the disaster which overtook the "rear column:"

Those who have read Stanley's book carefully can, however, find some excuse for Barttelot's becoming disgruntled. He had wished to be with the advance column and chafed under the restriction of being kept in camp idle at Yambuya while the others were, perhaps, gaining glory on the Albert. He had the right, too, when Stanley did not return for eight or nine months to imagine that he had been left in the rear purposely; for he never seems to have thought that Stanley had been killed or that misfortune had overtaken the advance expedition. He had every reason to imagine that Stanley, who had taken the best men, with only moderate loads—389, with 357 rifles—had really no intention of relieving Emin. He could well imagine this, looking at the stores originally left in his charge at Yambuya, which were 100 cases of gunpowder, 154 cases of Remington rifle cartridges, 38 cases of Winchester rifle cartridges, 24 cases of Maxim rifle cartridges, 114 bales of cloth, and nearly 200 loads of things for barter and trade. These were the articles intended for Emin, and Stanley had gone on ahead without a quarter as much as the impedimenta left behind for him to drag along as best he could.

Barttelot was presumably no fool. Did he know of Stanley's plan to take Emin out of his province at all hazards? If so he would know that Stanley did not care whether he moved on or stayed at Yambuya. His orders were to go on or stay as he pleased. Did he know that Stanley did not need the relief stores for Emin? He evidently thought so. Stanley was on a mysterious mission. How was it that when Stanley returned in August, 1888, to Yambuya, after a year's absence, the fact of his return was never given to the world, though he says in his book that he wrote to Sir William McKinnon. The only man who could have taken the information to England was Bonny, but he was taken by the explorer on his second journey to the Albert. Jameson was dead, and Herbert Ward was at Bangala, half way down the Congo between Yambuya and Stanley Pool, ready to return home, and knew nothing of Stanley's return to Aruwimi; yet Stanley was within touch of civilization and sent not a word of his whereabouts.

He still had his mysterious mission to carry out—to take Emin away from Africa, to leave Equatoria to the Mahdists and barbarism, and thus to clear away the danger of Emin ever being succored by the Germans or giving allegiance to Germany. The diplomatic history of the Darkest Africa expedition has yet to be made public.

HOPE FOR BALD HEADS.

Baldness is now being cured by grafting. Dr. P. A. MORROW, of the New York Academy of Medicine, according to the Medical Record, has employed grafting with perfect success. A contemporary says:

He had been led to do this in the case of a man who had become somewhat hypochondriac because of a scar on the scalp, which in later years became exposed from scarcity of hair. He first took grafts from the patient's own scalp, on the opposite side, by means of the cutaneous punch, and immediately transplanted them into holes of the same size made by the same instrument in the scar tissue. Very much to his gratification, union was perfect within a week. Four grafts were first made, and he waited several weeks to see whether the hair would grow. It did. He then made transplantations from another patient's scalp, and these also grew and bore hair luxuriantly. The grafts were fully a quarter of an inch thick. There was no suppuration, no untoward result. He had employed the same method in one or two cases of epithelioma, and, while there was no indication of breaking down, there had not been sufficient time to justify conclusions. He thought the method had a wider field of application. For instance, it might be adopted in lupus, and in removing moles, warts, and other facial blemishes.

RECOMMENDS ARBITRATION.

Mr. TULLY BOYCE, in a letter to the Free Press, after recounting the events in connection with the Wellington strike, says:

This strike, entailing such loss to not only the parties engaged, but to the community at large, is so great that the question may well be asked, when will it end—which party will submit? As far as the miners are concerned that was decided at yesterday's mass meeting, when the question was asked, "Are you in favor of continuing the battle?" One thousand voices said, "Yes, to the bitter end." No doubt the company, backed by their wealth, is equally as determined. Then, is there no remedy? Must this disastrous conflict continue? Can not the breach be repaired—the gulf bridged over—peace established and harmony restored? I will answer by saying yes, there is a remedy. A just, fair, equal and honorable one—arbitration. If either party is asking too much, their demands can be modified. If there is room for a compromise it can be pointed out. If justice is all that is asked neither party should dread the result. Then can this be brought about. I will answer for the miners that they are willing to trust their case in the hands of any honorable, impartial selection of men for that purpose. Will the Wellington Company go as far towards a settlement? It is to be hoped they will. I will now make a suggestion for a possible board or arbitration to be composed of five men, as follows: The Mayors of Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster, and Vancouver with the Premier of the Province as umpire. Can there be any objection to such a board? Yet the miners don't claim the right to choose the tribunal before whom their case should be heard. I believe they would be willing to accept the one mentioned, or any other composed of equally honorable men. The business prosperity of the Province is checked by a labor trouble in our midst. The miners don't wish to shoulder the blame of creating and fostering it, but unless an honorable settlement can be reached a defeat will not be submitted to. They are willing to do their part, and unless they are met by the same spirit of conciliation, then the trouble will go on indefinitely.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If DILLON and O'BRIEN can induce Irish Americans to subscribe to the "plan of campaign" fund as liberally as hitherto, BALFOUR's policy must assuredly come to naught. Unable to rent their lands, the Irish landlords will conclude that anything is preferable to the *status quo*. BALFOUR's plan of campaign though heroic is not heroic enough. If he is right and is sure of it, he should protect Irish landlords, if he had to garrison every farm in the disaffected districts. The civil law is all right so long as the people respect it, but when such is not the case, only bayonets are effectual in carrying out a policy.

The Emperor WILLIAM is astonishing his friends and confounding his enemies. He is warlike with discretion and a reformer without being an iconoclast. His sympathy with the working classes is as sincere, apparently, as it is noticeable. He exhibits firmness without harshness, moderation without weakness. Unquestionably the emperor is a tactful man and we gradually begin to see why BISMARCK resumed the functions of a private gentleman. In respect to science the emperor seems to possess a lively appreciation. He donated to Professor KOCH 500,000 marks, and in respect to the professor's experiments has offered to pay the expenses out of his private purse. The emperor has certainly succeeded in making himself popular, and standing in this relation to his people, socialism will butt its head against his throne in vain.

A large number of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of the city of Belfast, Maine, are at present away from home. Their absence is not voluntary; they have business at home, but it is more convenient to be elsewhere just now. A fine new hotel was recently opened in Belfast, and the occasion was celebrated by a grand banquet, at which the Mayor, the Hon. L. F. McDonald, and a large number of leading citizens were present. Although Maine is a prohibition State, the banquet was not a temperance one, wine being freely used, and a grand jury has now summoned before it all the participants in the feast who can be found. The majority of them, however, have had to leave for Boston or New York on business which may detain them until the session of the court is finished. They are modest men, who object to the publicity which appearance in court on a charge of violating the law entails.

HENRY CABOT LODGE attributes to BLAINE the defeat of the Republicans in the recent election. LODGE is probably right in a degree. BLAINE's attitude toward the McKinley bill was not that of a man who entertained a warm appreciation of it. Had his been an abiding faith in the efficiency of the measure he never would have sprung on the country his reciprocity scheme. BLAINE's, unquestionably, is the master mind of the Republican party to-day. The people know it, and a very sligh sign from him, would have the effect o producing a change of popular opinion. But in respect to BLAINE's contribution to the defeat of the Republicans, Mr. LODGE should not forget that the peo ple of the United States are quite capa ble of reasoning out certain problem for themselves. When it was discover ed that the McKinley bill did not furn ish a market for a single barrel of pork with the further discovery that price went up and wages down, nothing more was needed to insure the defeat o the Republicans. BLAINE's attitude i respect to the McKinley bill, which w do not remember of his ever havin praised, drove many Republicans int the arms of the democracy. That, how ever, which really killed McKinleyis was the hoggishness of the mercantil community, who without good reaso put up prices and cut down wages. Mer cantile greed killed the McKinley bil

That is a curious state of mind whic contemplates the British navy and th war ships which are constantly bein turned out of British ship yards as s many sucking doves, but which, re marking the activity with which th Americans are turning out a few ti crusiers, interprets it as a menace t British interests. Responding to som alarmist statements in the New Yor Times, in which that paper attempts t show that England is quietly preparin for war with the United States, th Vancouver Telegram turns to the ti crusiers of the Americans and wi owlish gravity remarks that the Unite States "are pursuing a suspicious polic at present." Probably at no time the history of the United States w that country less inclined to fight En than at present, and we are sure th so far as England is concerned the fee ing is reciprocal. In truth the tim has gone by when nations will engag in war over trifles. There must b nowadays, some grand principle stake. In so far as the Behring sea concerned we confess ourselves at a lo for a solution. We do not dare hazard a guess as to which way th cat will jump. We are assured of thi however, there is small likelihood powder being burned over the Behrin sea question. The question is loca There are certain rights involved in it is true, but their application is limi ed, that is to say, outside of the me right to hunt seal within certain limi nothing else is at stake. The interes involved do not justify war. The pr fits accruing from sealing interests Behring sea would not pay the intere on the cost of the first six months ca paign. The Telegram, therefore, ne feel no alarm over the prospect.

NEW STARS.

TO THE EDITOR:—There has bee noticed the past few evenings two r markable stars toward the southeas One, a bright blue, the other, a d red, a slight distance northward of th blue one. Can any of your contrib tors, versed in astronomy give the names and settle a discussion thereo

ASTRAL.

OUR TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

TO THE EDITOR:—Your reference t our telegraph service yesterday was season, and although the view in whic it was written was intended to be sa castic I myself do not there was th smallest attempt at over-statemen Our telegraph service is rather a publ inconvenience than anything else. O depends upon it because it is such trusty servant in other communitie With us it is a capricious master; it do as it pleases and we have nothing say nor can we say anything about Of course the writer in yesterday TIMES, being a newspaper man, looke at the subject from a newspaper poi of view. This was only right. Like th

general public I am a close observer of telegraphic news in the papers. When I compare the disconnected and sometimes senseless matter that appears in our papers, with the full and interesting dispatches one reads in say the Sound or California papers, I must confess Victoria labors under a terrible disadvantage. I read a four line account of some important matter in national politics; a great commercial or diplomatic treaty between two powerful nations, or perhaps a terrible railroad disaster or shipwreck involving many lives; and side by side with this is a stupidly long report of a $1000 fire, capsizing of a pleasure boat, a marriage or petty scandal. I am not in the inside track of newspaper offices, but I know enough of news to feel that there is a screw loose somewhere. It cannot be that the newspapers are too unenterprising to make an effort to get the news; I should not like to accuse them of want of enterprise, but cannot you take a firm stand in the matter and demand better service. I presume you have to pay a good round sum for the wretched service you get; it is just as much trouble to send bad matter as it is good.

Of course the uncertainty of the workableness of the line is another important consideration. That is a separate matter and can be looked upon in a double light. Is it that the telegraph company are imposing on Victoria because they have a monopoly, for monopoly it is, of the business into Victoria? It looks strangely like it. I speak now not as a newspaper reader, but as a merchant whose business renders the use of the telegraph necessary very often and very urgently. I am frequently confronted with the polite announcement that the wire is down, and as you point out, am given the privilege of paying high rates for the support of an American company, and my message goes over hundreds of miles unnecessarily (for which I pay.) The other sense in which this uncertainty can be viewed is that the company don't care about our business, and will only take it as they feel disposed. The fact of the wire being down so often and for so long a time would make the latter view the more probable of the two.

VICTORIAN.

TRADES UNIONS.

TO THE EDITOR.—Yesterday's Colonist contains an article under the title of "The Rights of Non-Unionists," which, coming from an advocate of Capital's point of view may be plausible, but does not contain a particle of reason when looked at from an equable standpoint. It starts out by declaring that "the attitude of Trades Unions to-day is not merely defensive. They are carrying on an offensive warfare, not against the employer only, but against the non-unionist working-man." It then goes on to state an individual case, which it claims is a hardship, and condemns the whole system of Unionism as operated to-day because of the possibility of such instances occurring.

It is strange that a journal in this enlightened age should be so far behind the times as to be out of touch with the masses in their struggle to rise and to be something better than the machine of by-gone times. Granted that on the face it does seem unjust that a man should not be at liberty to work where and when he please, and at whatever remuneration he may obtain, or whether he belong to a union or not. Granted, it may seem unreasonable to deny to every man the right to make his own bargain for his services. But has the Colonist a knowledge of the facts of the case past and present? Has it watched the development of capital and labor from the point of "master" and "servant" to employer and employee? from the time not long past when the tradesman and the mechanic sought the favor of being given work at whatever remuneration his employer thought fit to give—and the fact of being given employment was looked upon as a favor, to the present recognized fact that the matter is a contract between capital and labor, in which each is equally accommodated, and in which the workingman has the right to sell his labor to the best advantage. But how has this been brought about? Has it been by each man making the best bargain he could for himself; in which in many cases, on the principle of "half a loaf being better than no bread," the worker was compelled to close the bargain at a remuneration that was little better than starvation? No, sir. It was not till the workingman recognized the truth that "union is strength;" that by combining, and fixing a certain rate of remuneration for a certain class of work, he obtained anything like consideration. And so unions and trades unions have become almost universal, and the workingmen, strong in their unions, have emerged from the state of subserviency in which they had so long existed. It is union, and union only, that has brought about this better state of affairs, and it is union, and union only that can sustain and improve it.

But shall the working men be compelled to ever remain on the defensive? against the infringment and depressing influences of capital? Is he ever to be holding up his hands to defend himself from attack? Is it not consistent that in the battle against capital—for it cannot be denied that to a great extent, it is a battle—that the privilege of acting on the offensive shall be accorded labor as well as capital? The working man man by means of his labor organization has shortened the hours of labor, increased the rate of wages, made himself recognized as a necessary part of the great social machine, and he is fully aware that it is only by union men, and a strict adherence to its rules and regulations that these advantages he has won can be retained. Now, I say it is simply by legitimate combination that these concessions have been been obtained. Is he to be blamed that he uses his utmost indeavor to enforce the observance of unionism upon all members of his handicraft? Is the non-unionist-man while deriving all the advantages of his labors for years, to be placed upon the same footing as himself—an enemy in the camp, ready to throw down his arms at the appearance of danger, a non-combatant, receiving all the honors and emoluments. Yet ready to go over to the enemy at the approach of traffic? The Colonist would urge that to deny the non-unionist man these privileges would be to curtail his liberty to do as he pleases. I answer that every man's liberty is curtailed. No man can do as he pleases. Every law that is passed is a curtailment, more or less, of our liberties; and so in the case of unionism. The majority of workingmen have decided that it is only by a union of the various handicrafts or callings that they can enforce their claims for justice. They are aware that unionism cannot be sustained without binding themselves to observe certain rules and regulations, amongst which one is that unionists shall not work alongside of non-unionists. In other words that unionism is a necessity, and being a necessity the man who will not lend his aid to strengthen the union for the mutual good shall not receive its benefits, nor weaken it by his presence.

The question involved in the struggle between capital and labor are subtile, and can only be satisfactorily handled by men of calm judgment and equable desires; but I think you will agree, sir, that if the capitalist has the right to close his works against unionists, the Unionists have the right to declare for whom they will work and who they will work with. The Colonist may continue to issue its declamations against the trades unions, and their endeavors to obtain their proper position in the world of labor; but education and the greater expansion of the thinking powers of the working classes will and must prevail in obtaining their recognition, and its proof is in no manner more plainly shown than in the part that there are to-day very few public journals holding the same tenets as the Colonist. I am, sir, yours

A WORKING MAN.

CUTE DOGS AND CATS.

Specimens of Both Live in Scranton, Pa., If These Stories Are True.

A man in the southern part of Scranton, writes a New York Tribune correspondent, missed several of his young black Hamburg chickens early in the summer, and for awhile he laid the theft to a neighbor's big cat, but finally caught the culprit, and it wasn't the old cat. It was a black and tan dog that belonged to a family five blocks away, and it seized a downy little chicken and ran off with it right before the eyes of the astonished owner. He chased the dog, but soon lost sight of it. In a day or so the dog returned and stole another chicken. This time the man traced the dog to its home, and caught it with the chicken in its possession. The family begged him not to kill their children's pet, paid him for all the chickens he had lost, and saved the dog's life.

A small Scotch terrier belonging to a man who lives near one of the Scranton hotels got in the notion early in the summer of following the hotel omnibus to the railroad stations. He came near being run over one morning, and after that the driver scared the dog back whenever he started to tag along behind the vehicle. There was a good hiding place under the hotel veranda, and in it the dog kept shady until the driver had mounted his seat. Then he stole out, and before the omnibus had got fairly under way, he hopped upon the rear step and hung like a nailer as the omnibus jolted and rumbled over the rough wooden pavement down to the station. Before the driver had time to get down the dog was mingling with the crowd, where he stayed until the driver was ready to start back, when he sought his perch again. The cunning animal had done this a number of times before the driver found it out from a gentleman who had been watching the dog, and it pleased the driver so much that he let the dog have his own way after that, and the interesting brute continues to ride back and forth on the step.

A Jefferson township farmer owns a she cat which, whenever the swallows begin to fly low just before a rain during the summer, steals away to a covered drain by the roadside, hiding herself in the open end. From the little walled space she can look far down the road and see the swallows as they sail along close to the surface, but the birds can't see her. When they get almost over the spot puss springs out and pulls down a swallow with as much certainty and grace as the fielders of the New York giants pull down fly balls.

Druggist John H. Phelps has a mother cat with a peculiar habit, formed when her three kittens were old enough to lap milk, early in the season. Milk for them all was poured into a small mortar in the rear of the store. The heads of the three kittens took up about all the space there was. Several times the old cat tried to get her nose in the mortar while her little ones were lapping the milk, but she found that she would have to push one of the kittens aside if she did so. After having watched the kittens for a minute or two, the mother cat very carefully and slowly pushed her left paw between two of them, touched the milk gently, and then pulled her paw out and licked the milk off. She kept this up until the kittens had got their fill and moved back to wash their faces, and even then she stuck in her paw and licked it off. The habit grew upon her, and when the kittens were in the cellar she would come upstairs and poke her paw into the milk and lick it off for forty or fifty times in succession. Puss has never lapped milk since.

Found a Roll of Bills

He stood at a bar on Broadway shaking dice with the bartender, says the Milwaukee Wisconsin, and, glancing at the floor, discovered a roll of bills. The room was full of men, and if none of them claimed the money the bartender would, so self-interest demanded that he should pick up the money without being seen. He planted his foot upon it, and tossed the dice while he looked for an opportunity to grab the roll. When the bartender had "done" him a dozen times or more the opportunity came, and he heaved a sigh of relief as he shoved the roll into his pocket. He hastened to his office on the West side to examine his find. There was twenty-two dollars in the roll—just the amount he had put in a roll in his other pocket. A thought flashed across his mind and he dived into the other pocket. The roll was gone. He had been to all that trouble to pick up his own money.

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A CARD.

In answer to the number of communications from Vancouver, New Westminster, and Nanaimo, Mr. Seward begs to state that, in consequence of limited time, he will not be able to visit any of the above cities. He must be in New York in a few weeks.

CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

Newsy Items Gathered from Different Parts of the Dominion.

The Globe's Ottawa correspondent says Parliament will not be summoned until a late period, probably March. In order that before the prorogation the numerical part of the census may be made known and a redistribution measure introduced and passed. The census will be taken in April.

The Chief of Police of Ottawa yesterday received a letter from a Washington anonymous correspondent who states that he knows the man who killed Benwell. That Birchall did not do it.

Sir Charles Tupper, cabled to Ottawa yesterday that another consignment of Canadian eggs had arrived at Liverpool. Dealers there say that for quality and size, condition and style of packing, they have never been excelled on the Liverpool market.

Count Dillon says that he will return with his family in the spring to British Columbia where he will reside.

Mr. N. F. Hagel, Q. C., closed the case for the defence in the Martin-Luxton criminal libel case at Winnipeg yesterday, making a brilliant speech lasting over three hours. Mr. Howell closes for the crown to-morrow, when the case goes to the jury.

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The Musical Service at St. James Last Evening a Great Success.

The popularity of musical services was fully demonstrated last evening when the cosy little church of St. James was crowded by people from all corners of Victoria to listen to the opening service of the new organ. There was not a vacant seat to be had for some time before the service opened by a voluntary from Mr. G. Pauline. His selection was (a) "Grand Offertoire," (b) "Heaven and Earth Display;" both numbers were played with a taste and power of expression which brought out the best qualities of the instrument. When Mr. Pauline tried that prince of composers of organ music, Batiste and afterwards Handel, he excelled himself and proved that one can get a taste of musical sublimity in Victoria. Indeed, it is but creditable to Mr. Pauline to say that he developed and displayed unexpected brilliancy and ability. The choir, who were in admirable training, sang Haydn's "The Heavens are Telling," and Sullivan's "Say, Watchman, what of the night?" and several other numbers, with harmonious fulness, musical precision and tasteful expression. Their leader was Mr. Geo. Jay, with whose able and conscientious efforts to prepare for the occasion the whole choir co-operated as one member. Miss Heathfield sang "Consider the Lilies," and Mr. G. Jay won honors in Mendelssohn's "O rest in the Lord," though a trifle quicker measure would have made it more acceptable. Prof. Sharpe played one of his own compositions, "Nearer, my God, to Thee," and was followed by a duet from Handel by Miss Mowat and Mrs. W. J. Goepel, which was very acceptably rendered. Messrs. W. J. Goepel and R. H. Benedict filled the positions of accompanists.

Rev. Mr. Barber preached a very happy and a very short sermon, dwelling upon the effect of music on the soul, and the relation of music to divine worship from the earliest ages. No service should be without music, it elevates the soul to purer things, and expands the mind to nobler thoughts. Music in the church is conducive to the spiritual welfare of the worshippers.

Ven. Archdeacon Scriven and Rev. Mr. Beanlands also took part in the service and inspected the organ. It is a really fine instrument, imported by M. W. Waitt & Co., specially for the congregation. Last night its capabilities were fully tested and not found wanting in any particular. The solo stops worked perfectly. There are fourteen stops altogether governed the latest and most approved pneumatic action. In all there are over 600 pipes.

The collection last evening (there was no admission charge) exceeded $100, and was devoted to the organ fund.

TERRY IN THE TOILS.

Voluntarily Gives Himself Up and Will Stand His Trial.

Chester L. Terry, against whom there are two indictments pending in the United States courts, and who, since the fall of 1888, has been a fugitive from justice and a resident of Victoria, has returned to Seattle, says the Telegraph. Thursday he walked into United States Commissioner Sprigg's office and surrendered himself. He was held in $500 bail for his appearance at court, J. Colman becoming his surety.

Terry was a member of the great opium smuggling ring, of which E. A. Gardner was the head. Gardner is now serving a term of 14 years in the New York penitentiary for smuggling $250,000 worth of opium into the United States. About the same time that Gardner was arrested Terry was also indicted. The evidence at that time was so strong against him that conviction was a foregone conclusion, and he quietly left the country and took up his residence in Victoria.

Terry and Gardner were both revenue inspectors under Collector Beecher and they were in a position that made them very valuable to the smugglers' syndicate and they took advantage of their positions to feather their own nests. Terry once ran against an inspector of customs who believed that the oath of office he had taken was more than a mere matter of form, and who had no sympathy with the smugglers. The inspector is now a resident of Seattle and occupies a responsible position. Upon the promise that his name should not be used in connection with the story, he said last evening:

"I wasn't cut out for government work and now that I am out of it I don't want to be mixed up in any of these affairs. It was shortly after Cleveland's inauguration that I was appointed an inspector of customs. The second day after my appointment I was on duty at the Ash street dock in Portland. There I met Mr. Terry. He had three trunks with him containing opium valued at $2,500. I had seized it, when up comes Terry with an expressman to take the trunks. I informed him who I was and that I had seized the opium. He laughed at me and told me that he was an inspector and that the trunks belonged to him.

"'Well, they are mine for the present,' I answered, 'and if you touch them I'll blow the top of your head off,' for I was mad to think that a sworn officer should be a smuggler. Then he pulls out his appointment and showed it to me. I told him that it didn't make any difference who he was, I was not only going to seize the opium, but arrest him as well. Then he told me that he seized the opium over on the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific railroad, but when I called his attention to the fact that he was taking it in a very roundabout way, he could not make any satisfactory reply. I took the opium and Terry to the custom house, but through the interference of Collector Beecher he was released and allowed to take the opium with him.

"Such a row had already been raised about it that Terry was compelled to apparently carry out the story he had told me of the seizure, to keep out of jail. The stuff was brought to Seattle and placed in the safe deposite vaults. The gang didn't propose to lose all that money and when the cans were opened, after having been in the vault for some time, it was found that they contained molasses instead of opium. While the cans were in the vault, the gang got in there and took the opium out and substituted molasses for the dope."

Soon after this escapade the United States grand jury found two indictments against Terry. He didn't wait upon the order of his going, but at once took up his residence in Victoria. While he was there, Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, held a series of revival meetings in Victoria, which were well attended by Terry, who professed religion. He made a full confession of his crimes to Mr. Moody and begged him to use his influence with the government to secure him immunity from punishment in case he should return to the United States. Moody did all in his power for Terry, and as a result of the negotiations carried on by the evangelist Terry offered to give up all his property to the government in restitution for the money of which he had defrauded the government. In order to carry out this plan he turned over to Judge Green valuable lands in trust to settle them after with the government.

The fact that Terry has returned to stand trial has occasioned some little surprise, but the government officials here would say but little about the matter. Collector Alexander, when spoken to on the subject, said that since the conviction of Gardner the general impression was that Terry was merely the tool of others. Gardner had been appointed supervising inspector by Collector Beecher, although the government did not recognise such an officer, and had placed him over the other inspectors. In that way he obtained control of Terry. It was also claimed by his friends that Terry did not actively engage in smuggling, but allowed consignments to pass him while on duty. This claim, however, is shown to be false by the statements of the ex-inspector, who is a thoroughly reliable and trustworthy citizen. Judge Greene, in an interview with a reporter yesterday, stated that Terry had come back to plead guilty to any charge the government might make against him that he knew was true. Terry's case will probably be tried at the December term of the United States district court.

CARIBOO NEWS.

Encouraging Reports from Various Mining Claims—How Hallow'een Was Spent.

From Our Own Correspondent.]

BARKERVILLE, Nov. 7.—There has been quite a change in the weather since Sunday, the thermometer dropping to 10 degrees below zero, with light falls of snow, which, however, do not interfere with wheel travel.

Dr. Watt had call by telegram from Quesnelle yesterday to attend the sick child of Senator James Reed.

W. Stevenson, gold commissioner, and John Hepburn came in from the South fork yesterday, and returned this morning.

J. Champion, who has been surveying some claims on the South Fork for Shoo Fan, the Chinese mining prince, returned last evening, and reports great activity in that section.

The Op E. Tong Company declared a dividend of $1250 the interest for the season. They have discovered the old South Fork channel, which is 80 feet wide from wall to wall. The average depth of the pay gravel is 50 feet.

The South Fork Hydraulic Co. have commenced on three ditch and have let a contract for two thousand yards of flume. This company intends to spend in the neighborhood of $15,000 next season.

John Hepburn & Co., are working five men, running an open cut to top the channel, and find prospects in the gravel from 12½ to 25c. to the pan. This company will spend $20,000 next season to bring the water from Little Lake. They are now building a dam for the reservoir, and intend to push the work to completion as early as possible.

A party of three miners are making preparations to wingdam the South Fork below Dancing Bill's Gulch, which paid handsomely in the early days.

About six miles of the blind channel has been located, and good times are expected at the Forks next summer.

Fred. Sittler, the mail carrier, arrived last evening from the Forks, bringing news from Horse Fly, Keithly and Antler Creeks. He reports no snow south of Antler Creek, an open claims working with prospects of two or three weeks' more of fine weather.

The Black Jack Company has stopped crushing ore, on account of the hard frost on Wednesday night. The new shaft is down ten feet below the seventy foot level, and prospects of free gold from some of the ore taken out sent the price of stock up to six and one-twelfth per foot.

Several blocks changed hands yesterday at $6, but large shareholders refuse $8. An assessment of three cents a share was levied to day, payable at once.

The government mill and test works will commence operations in a few days. Mr. Martin, the general superintendent, is busy making preparations to keep the works running all winter, which will encourage quartz miners in developing their claims.

The 31st of October, "All-Hallow-e'en," was the occasion of a jolly good time for everybody in Barkerville. The re-union was largely due to one of Scotia's fair daughters, who holds the traditions of the "land o' cake" sacred to the memory of her childhood's days. The spacious hall in the theatre was appropriately decorated with evergreens, and the children, for whose amusement the celebration was gotten up, enjoyed themselves diving for apples, and burning their fingers roasting nuts. Rev. Brooks took much interest in the success of the entertainment, and led the game of blind man's buff with the wild delight of a ten-year old schoolboy. The gaiety of the children was apparently contagious, for very soon it showed its effects on maid and matrons, bachelors and benedicts, who with one accord joined hands in the mazy dance; and when your correspondent left, every body seemed happy. AMOR.

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ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

NEARLY A FATAL FALL.

The Unguarded State of the Wharves Nearly Cause a Death.

Last evening a well-known steamboat man was coming ashore from his vessel at about 10 o'clock, when in the darkness he stepped off the wharf and fell plump into the water. Being an able swimmer he kept himself up until help arrived in answer to his calls, but his escape was a close one, as he fell his head hit on a pile and nearly stunned him. Had the blow been a more severe one the chances are that a case of drowning would have had to be chronicled.

The accident of last night recalls the rider of the coroner's jury in the case of Flannery, the marine who came to his death by falling off the wharf near the scene of the accident of last night. The rider was sent to the board of aldermen by the attorney-general, but the civic authorities evidently have nothing to do with the matter. Section 55, chap. 78, 49 Vict. says that in all cases proper lights shall be provided at all wharves, along their fronts and at the angles and turns, if any. Section 56 provides penalties for an infraction of the law, in which it is stated that a $20 fine can be imposed and collected in court from the wharf owners or occupiers who neglect to so provide lights. The same section also states that in cases of accident the owners or occupiers can be held responsible.

In view of this fact it would perhaps be in order for the responsible parties to obey the law, for the approaching cold weather will make the wharves even more dangerous, when covered with ice or snow. If something is not done a fatal accident is sure to occur again. In other seaport cities the water front is always kept well lighted. Victoria wharf owners should not be behind in obeying laws enacted for the safety of the public.

Free Lectures.

Mr. Reynolds, the "advanced thought" lecturer, has been engaged to give a series of four lectures at Harmony Hall, next week, commencing Wednesday evening, the 19th, and continuing till Saturday, inclusive. Some of his subjects are on topics of the day. The lectures will be free.

Put on Two Cents.

A great many people forget that the postage on drop letters is 2 cents. One-half of the drop letters received at the TIMES office in reply to advertisements, are posted with but one cent on the envelopes. The parties to whom they are addressed have to pay two cents, or the letter is sent to the dead letter office.

Do Not Miss It.

The Y.M.C.A. Hall will no doubt be crowded again this evening, as it was on the former visit of the Spanish Students, Bistolfi and Mantanelli. These two gentlemen have become great favorites among the musical people of Victoria, and this evening a large number of their admirers will be present to hear them. Miss Beeton and other local talent will assist to make the concert one of pleasure for those who attend.

A Quiet Session.

Police circles did not present a very busy appearance this morning, although $50 were added to the city coffers by a keeper of a bawdy house who made a practice of standing on the streets. A rather comical looking Chinaman also had a case there, he charging a white man with assault. The prosecutor swore that the prisoner had stopped him on the street and asked him for 25 cents. He refused to give up his good coin and received a slap in the face from the defendant. Sergt. Walker was near by and took the prisoner in charge. When asked if he had any question to ask the witness the prisoner keeled over and was taken out of court in a fainting condition.

Gorton's Minstrels.

The above company will appear at the Victoria Theatre on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Nov. 17 and 18. Of their performance the Halifax, N. S. Daily Chronicle says: There was a terrific rush for tickets when the Lyceum doors were thrown open last evening, and by 8 o'clock the hall was filled. The first part was made up of new songs, well sung, and jokes which were all fresh. The usual selection was encored and the gags brought down the house. L. W. Maxson gave a sweet exphonium solo, and an encore was demanded. H. J. Yorkey, in his aged darkey songs and dances, pleased immensely, and his make up was fine. A big feature of the show was the clog dancing, which was the finest exhibition of its kind seen here for a long time.

The Titania's Cargo.

To complete the ship Titania's cargo, it was necessary to load 2000 cases of salmon which came down from the north by the steamer Danube. It was the intention of the shippers to have put it aboard at Esquimalt, but to do this would have necessitated a supplementary manifest from Victoria, and the ship would have had to enter and clear here. The Westminster shippers refused to do this, however, being desirous of having that port as the one of final clearance, and the salmon was in consequence taken up to Westminster by a special steamer at considerable expense. Collector Milne was perfectly willing that the Titania should enter Esquimalt harbor for water, but he could not, under the law, allow any addition to be made to the cargo, hence the action of the Westminster shippers.

Fast Time.

The Union Pacific vestibuled train leaving Portland at 7.00 a.m. has Pullman sleeping and dining cars. Free Pullman tourist cars, and free reclining chair cars to Omaha, Kansas City and Chicago, without change. Steamers leave Victoria daily (except Sunday) For tickets to any point east, north and south, call on or address Morris J. Bissell, 100 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

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Mr. Biggar will enlarge your portrait in any of the kinds of work of art you would desire. Oil, porcelain or crayon, water color, or pastelle, or Indian ink, all complete, with handsome frame, $15. Orders taken at the Boston Candy factory. oct11-1m.

New Coal Strike.

A discovery of good bituminous coal is reported to have been made on a settler's farm at Hall's Prairie, Surrey, where a well was being dug for the owner of the land, Mr. Annand. Boring machines are to be put to work, and the value of the vein determined.

Concert To-night.

Signors Bistolfi and Montanelli will be the leading attractions at the concert to be given in the Y.M.C.A. rooms this evening. Other local talent will contribute to the occasion, which will be on a scale of excellence peculiar to the institution.

Empty Chairs.

The "True as Steel" company seems to have met with misfortune in the Northwest, but those who attended last evening were wondering if the company would hold together until the fall of the curtain. The house was without doubt the poorest that ever greeted a troupe in Victoria, and the few that did attend were hardly satisfied with what they saw.

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Better than a Directory.

Now that all the real estate men have shown themselves sufficiently enterprising as to provide themselves with a first-class map of Victoria, time can be spared to serve private people. Hibben & Co.'s map of the city and surrounding district should be in every business house, and also in every private dwelling. For the latter purpose the map has been gotten out on a smaller scale, price 50 cents. It is better than a directory, and much handier in finding one's way round town.

Vancouver Sealers.

A meeting has been held at Vancouver to organize a joint stock company to be known as the Vancouver Sealing and Trading Company, limited. The following were appointed as first trustees: Messrs. C. D. Rand, George A. Fraser, A. St. G. Hamersley, H. T. Ceperley, James Whetham, A. H. B. Macgowan, I. H. Hallett and Andrew Linton. It was decided to let the contract for the immediate building of a suitable schooner. The building will be done in Vancouver.

Murdered for Money.

The body of a man, about 30 years of age, was found near Madison street, Seattle, by two boys. It was that of a former cook in a boarding house, and as he is said to have left with about $600 of his savings on his person, the cause of murder points strongly to robbery. Suspicion points to three men whom the authorities are after. A razor was found in the corpse's hand, covered blood, but the surgeons say the fatal wounds were inflicted by a blunt instrument such as the hammer end of a revolver.

Civic Corruption in Seattle.

Seattle is having its term of civic corruption, but the perpetrators have been carrying on their work in a good old fashioned bungling style. The city engineer has taken to cooking the pay roll and has performed the operation in such a clumsy manner that he has been found out. He was acting under instructions from the council to pay the men one price and charge the city with another, and this, the city surveyor admits is a practice that has always obtained, in other words, that the street work accounts have never been anything else than crooked.

The Fall Assizes.

The Chief Justice will not be presented with a pair of white kids on the 24th, as he was at the spring assizes. The docket, although not large, will nevertheless give the court two or three days work. The most serious case is that of Ah Ping, charged with murdering a brother Celestial. Lewis and Bernhardt, both charged with larceny, have decided not to be tried by Speedy Trials and they will also come up with Thos. McDonald and Jno. Carl, the two highwaymen. The case of the Crown vs. Bell and the Chinaman charged with perjury will also be heard.

He Doesn't Like the Case.

As has been usual for the last few months the Chinese perjury case was called in the police court this morning. Mr. Fell, the attorney for the defence, had returned from San Francisco and was ready to go on with the case, but Mr. Walker, for the prosecution, had only just heard of Mr. Fell's return, and naturally he asked for another remand. His honor, who is not at all fond of the case, said he should very much like to adjourn it until Monday, as he would be absent for the first few days of next week and the case could be tried by the magistrate who sat on the days he was absent. Mr. Walker agreed with his honor, but Mr. Fell could not see through it, as he said Mr. Johnson, who would very likely sit, had expressed an opinion by sending the case of the women up for trial. Mr. Walker said his honor had also expressed an opinion by discharging one of the defendants. His honor, however, decided that he would try the case next Saturday, and it was accordingly adjourned until then.

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I have been troubled many years with disease of the Kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 9th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Heniey, with the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days, I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

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Luncheon at noon. Refreshments throughout the day and evening.
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Vocal and Instrumental Music by well known Amateurs during the evenings.
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CHURCH NOTICES.

Where to Worship To-morrow Morning and Evening.

Reformed Episcopal—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. by Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by Rev. Dr. Reid. In the evening the subject of the Bishop's sermon will be "Value of witness to the miraculous, or the agnostic application of the scientific method.

First Presbyterian—Rev. D. Fraser will preach at 11 a.m., and Rev. P. Mck. Macleod at 7 p.m.

Pandora street Methodist—Rev. Coverdale Watson preaches at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Prayer meeting after the evening services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Services by Rev. P. McF. Macleod at 11 a.m. and Rev. D. Fraser at 7 p.m.

Christ Church Cathedral—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rt. Rev. Bishop Hills; assistant rector, Rev. Arthur Beanlands, B.A.

St. James church, James Bay—Archdeacon Scriven. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. John's Church, Douglas street—Rev. P. Jeans. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Gorge Road Methodist—Rev. White. Morning and evening services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Calvary Baptist—Rev. M. L. Rugg pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Spring Ridge Baptist—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by Rev. Thompson.

St. Andrew's pro-cathedral—Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens. Low mass, 8 a.m.; high mass, 10:30 a.m.; coupiin and benediction, 7 p.m.

Victoria West Mission (Church of England)—Rev. W. A. Barber. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The Ellen A. Reed has not been chartered yet.

The steamer Danube is to be fitted with new cargo booms and derricks.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz will leave for northern ports to-morrow morning.

The schooner Lottie came in this morning with a load of oats from the Mainland.

The steamer Danube is discharging her cargo of salmon at Turner, Beeton & Co's wharf.

The tug Active is expected down to-morrow to take the Titian up to the Royal City Planing mills.

The Henry Villiard, American ship, has been chartered to load salmon at this port for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Rainbow has been placed on the Nanaimo-Westminster route in place of the steamer Dunsmuir which is laid up for repairs.

The new steamer Chieftain has been hauled out onto the bank to be cleaned and painted. It is reported she is to go into the towing business.

The steamer Islander will probably go into the dry dock to-morrow to have repairs made to one of her propellers. The Princess Louise is likely to take her place.

The steamer Walla Walla sailed for San Francisco this morning with a large number of passengers and 250 tons of coal, 1000 tons of wheat, and 800 tons of merchandise.

The tug Pilot Capt. Christiansen, jr., came in this morning from Port Townsend where she had towed the bark Astoria. The bark is to load flour at Tacoma for England.

The steamer Ferndale had a narrow escape from fire Thursday night when off Clallam bay. A large lamp exploded in the cabins and set fire to the woodwork. The captain headed the boat for the nearest point and the crew attacked the flames. One of the engineers, who fought the fire barefooted, he having turned out from his watch below, was severely burned. By hard work the blaze was extinguished.

Steamer Cook Lost.

The cook on the tug Sea Lion disappeared mysteriously at Port Townsend Tuesday night, and the crew of the boat believe that he fell overboard and sank. He was seen last about 11 o'clock in the evening near the theatre in Port Townsend, but his hat was found on a table in the cabin of the boat the next morning, and this is taken as evidence that he returned to the boat.

A Rare Curio.

A totem pole was brought down on the steamer Danube from Queen Charlotte's Islands the last trip, for Mr. J. J. Hart, of the Indian Bazaar. The curio is the largest ever yet procured of the Indians, it being 40 feet in length by five feet in diameter. The carving on it is grotesque and strange in the extreme, and of a kind rarely met with. Mr. Hart, who was for nearly 34 years with the Indians, says that never before could a similar totem pole be procured by white men, although efforts were often made to do so. This one was left at a deserted village by one of the Skidegate tribes, and fell into the hands of Mr. Hart's agent. It was brought down intact. It's age is considered by experts to be close upon 800 years. The wood forming it is cedar, which when above ground is practically non-decaying, and although weather-beaten and scarred, the relic still preserves its form and design well. It is not yet known what will be done with the totem, although it is probable it will be sent to London, and set up next to Cleopatra's needle, so that a specimen of ancient Egyptian and Haidah work can be seen side by side. Parties are bidding for the curio for the World's Fair at Chicago, and it may go there first.

Hot a Cyclone.

If I were Queen o' France,
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For my cook, and take it home.

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Coal.

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A Democratic Paper.

The Seattle Telegraph is the only Democratic paper in Washington, and it is that party's organ in the northwest. Its local, telegraphic, and foreign news are also complete, as a newspaper it has no superiors. Free trade is its policy. Subscribe for it and read it. J. O'Neil, agent, 134 Yates street. 1w.

Council of Bishops.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens leaves for Portland on Monday evening to attend the council of Catholic bishops of the north west which is to be held in Portland next week. There will be present Archbishop Gross, and Bishops Brondel, Younger, Laurier, and Lemmens. Several matters of importance to the church will be discussed.

A Fine Picture.

A very truthful picture of the C.P.N. Co.'s steamer Islander, painted by Mr. A. J. Watkinson, is on exhibition in Jamison's window. The painting, which is in oil, shows the steamer at full speed. It is well colored and good picture of the popular boat.

In New Quarters.

The new car-house built for the Electric Street Railway Company, was occupied by cars for first time last night, several being housed there after the day's work was over. A branch line of rails, with overhead wires, are in position and everything is completed, ready for business.

The Odd Fellows Will Dance.

The Odd Fellows will not be considered backward this social season if they can avoid it. They are now making arrangements for a dance to be given the first week in December at their hall on Douglas street. It is not the intention that it shall be considered by any means a second rate affair, and to that end no effort is being spared in the preparations.

Change of Proprietors.

The Ship Inn, on Wharf street, has been purchased from Mr. J. Meldram by Messrs. J. J. Brown & Hugh Griffiths, both well known here. It is the intention of the new proprietors to keep the best brands of liquors and cigars, and everything will be done to merit a fair share of patronage. All the periodicals kept on the tables, and comfortable card rooms will be provided.

She Wouldn't Wait.

There is a peculiar sensation connected with being left by a steamer, especially when the unfortunate victim has important business to attend to at the other end of the line. Four young men of Seattle who intended going to San Francisco by the Walla Walla this morning, were forced against their will to undergo this ordeal. They had become acquainted on the steamer while crossing the gulf, and with the intention of not getting sea sick they imbibed of the liquid that stops that disorder but makes the head light. Coming ashore here they went to a out of town saloon where they could continue their merriment in peace. But the boat had been forgotten, and when they reached the Outer wharf she was steaming down the straits. The steamer Emma was chartered to take the crowd out, but the captain was the only one who profitted by the trip, as the Walla Walla did not take any heed of her pursuers whistling to stop, and the Seattleites returned to Victoria, where they will rusticate for the next few days.

Guessing Match

To induce cash trade, Lange & Co., will have another guessing match this year. The gifts given are very elegant and valuable. There will be nine presents.

1st prize—Gent's Gold Watch.
2nd " —Gent's Diamond Ring.
3rd " —Lady's Gold Watch.
4th " —A Silver Tea Set, 4 pieces, engraved.
5th " —A Silver Tea Set, 4 pieces, plain.
6th " —Diamond Set Pin.
7th " —Silver Water Pitcher.
8th " —Silver Jewel Case.
9th " —Spoon Holder and 1 doz. Teaspoons.

The nearest guess to the number of shot in the bottle now on view in our store will receive 1st prize; second nearest 2nd prize and so on. One guess will be allowed for every $5 worth of goods purchased. The shot will be counted by a disinterested committee of three on New Year's day; when the prizes will be awarded.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

To My Friends and Patrons.

Having purchased the interest of Mr. W. H. Pennock, my late partner in the business of dealers in diamonds, jewelery and silverware, lately carried on in Victoria as Pennock & Clayton, I beg to announce that I shall in future carry on said business and that large additions, both to present large stock and to the staff of skilled workmen, will be made. Every attention to sales, manufactures and repairs, will be given to all whom may favor me with their order. Being myself a practical jeweller all manufactures and repairs will pass under my personal supervision, and I guarantee satisfaction. I solicit a visit to my establishment. Thanking one and all for past favors, and requesting a continuance thereof,

I am, respectfully,
nov14-4t A. A. CLAYTON.

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1 to 2 bottles of B.B.B. will cure headache.
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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

DIED.

NATHAN—In this city, on the 13th instant, Jane Alice, aged 28 years, daughter of Edward O. Nathan, formerly of Victoria Park, London, England.

The funeral will take place on Sunday from her father's residence, North Road, Spring Ridge, at 2 o'clock, and at 2:30 from Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are invited.

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A BY-LAW

To Amend the Street By-Law, 1887.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO amend the Street By-Law;

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

The Street By-Law is hereby amended by adding the following section after Section 25 of the said By-Law: "25 . No person shall drive any cattle, sheep or swine across any bridge within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria."

This By-Law may be cited as "The Streets By-Law Amendment By-Law, 18 ."

Passed the Municipal Council the 5th day of November, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 12th day of November, A.D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
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